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SANGUINE OF SUCCESS.

Spaniards in Cuba Disheartened and Weary of Fight.

NEW YORK, June 16.—On board steamer Seguranca, which arrived this morning from Havana, was F. R. Winn of Sherman, Texas, who has been for some time with the insurgent forces at Pinar del Rio in the west end of Cuba. Winn is the bearer of important despatches to the Cuban junta in this city. He is quite sanguine of the ultimate success of the Cuban cause, and says that the Spaniards are disheartened and weary of the fight. Their guerillas have all been killed off by the Cuban sharpshooters, and the Spanish regulars do but little fighting.

Japan Has No Idea of a Conflict with the United States.

PARIS, June 16.—The Matin today publishes an interview with Count Ito of Japan, who is now in this city on his way to attend Queen Victoria's jubilee celebration, in which he says Japan never had any idea of entering into a conflict with the United States as an outcome of the troubles between Japan and Hawaii, incidents, he added, which have been greatly exaggerated.

Four Other Bombs Within a Month Past.

PARIS, June 16.—The Eclair this morning says that four other bombs or infernal machines have been found in Paris during the past month, and during President Faure's journey several domiciles were searched. In connection with the alleged attempt upon the life of President Faure last Sunday while on his way to the racecourse Long Champs several arrests have been made, but only one man was detained in custody.

Mrs. Blackman's Claim Preposterous.

LONDON, June 16.—Secretary Honey of Barney Barnato's companies says that the claim of Mrs. Blackman of Cleveland, to be a daughter of the late South African speculator, is preposterous, as Barnato was only once married.

Training Ship Enterprise Sails for Southampton.

BOSTON, June 16.—United States ship Enterprise, the Massachusetts nautical ship, sailed from her anchorage off Rowe's wharf at 10:30 o'clock this forenoon for Southampton, England, on her annual summer cruise. She will make a brief stop at Marblehead today.

Rhode Island Pensions.

WASHINGTON, June 16.—Original—Lewis E. Pearson, Providence; John Bellamy, Ashaway; Oscar F. Towne, Olneyville.

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QUEEN VICTORIA NOT BLIND.

Her Sight as Good as Usual in a Person of Her Age.

LONDON, June 16.—The sensational stories circulated in the United States by a newspaper in regard to the eyesight of Queen Victoria, which is said by that periodical to be so bad that Her Majesty is almost totally blind, are not believed here. There has been no hint that the queen's sight is any worse than might be expected in a woman of her age. Sir John Watt Reid, the queen's resident physician, is now away on a holiday, so it is evident that Her Majesty's health causes him no anxiety.

PROTEST AGAINST POWELL.

His Appointment as Minister to Hayti Objected to Because of His Color.

WASHINGTON, June 16.—A number of merchants of Philadelphia and other cities have appeared before the Senate committee on foreign relations and made a protest against the appointment of William F. Powell as minister to Hayti. They based their opposition on the ground of Mr. Powell's color, contending that a white man would be more influential in promoting the interests of this country with the Haytians, although they stated that they had no personal objection to Mr. Powell. The committee held the objection not to be a valid one, and decided to report the nomination with a favorable recommendation.

National Anti-Mob and Lynch Law Association.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, June 16.—The National Anti-mob and Lynch Law Association has been incorporated. The purposes of the organization are declared to be to discourage mob and lynch law within the United States, and to agitate public sentiment with a view to securing such legislation as will suppress such practices by providing adequate punishment for violators. It is proposed to form branch associations all over the country.

Arrest of a Notable Criminal.

NEW YORK, June 16.—Dan Noble, said to be one of the most notable criminals in the world, whose record includes operations in England, Bavaria, Italy and this country, was arrested today, charged with complicity in the robbery of Messenger Hildebrandt of Ringler's brewery in September last.

PORTSMOUTH.

[Regular correspondence of the News.]

Newport County Pomona Grange, No. 4, Patrons of Husbandry, met with Portsmouth Grange Tuesday in Oakland Hall, with about forty members in attendance. The morning session was devoted to business, which lasted until 1:30 p. m., and was for Grange members only. The lecturer's hour, announced for that time, and to which the public was invited, was delayed an hour while luncheon was served, which, although called a basket lunch, was provided in such generous quantity that guests were well served, and coffee and ice cream were also had in abundance.

The lecturer of the Grange, J. Lincoln Sherman, presided at the afternoon session, and the first number on the program was the reading by the editor, William H. Gifford, of the Pomona Gazette. Its contents were varied, the humorous and witty prevailing. Many articles were original. One, entitled "A Dream," especially deserved the applause of the members, the author evidently being a second Edward Bellamy.

A debate was then had on the question, "Resolved, That a person can enjoy a clean conscience more than a clean million." The leading disputants were Reuben Peckham of Middletown and John A. Hathaway of Tiverton in the affirmative, and George E. Sisson of Portsmouth and Philip H. Wilbur of Little Compton in the negative.

Quite a number of persons took part in the discussion. The judges, Mrs. W. Clarence Peckham of Middletown, Mrs. Fernando A. Wilcox of Tiverton and Mrs. Warren R. Sherman of Portsmouth, decided in favor of the affirmative, and a vote of the audience on the merits of the question was taken, with the same result.

After the lecturer's hour Grange work was again taken up, until the adjournment.

Those attending from out of town were Philip H. Wilbur of Little Compton Grange; Mrs. Ralph Wilcox, John A. Hathaway, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Potter, Mrs. Fernando A. Wilcox and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Almy of Nonquit Grange, Tiverton; Nathaniel Peckham, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Peckham, Mrs. Elisha Peckham, Mrs. George E. Perry, Mr. Lionel H. Peabody and Mr. and Mrs. Herman F. Peckham of Aquidneck Grange, Middletown.

The next meeting of Pomona Grange will be held with Nonquit Grange, Tiverton, August 17.

Mr. Charles Bloomer gave an entertainment, consisting of recitations and impersonations, in Eureka hall Monday evening to a small audience. The program was as follows: Recitations—"Legend of the Organ Builder," "At the Stamp Window," "Edward Gray" and "A Foreigner's Opinion of the Bartholdi Statue;" personation of a fine lady in costume; recitations—"Trouble in the Amen Corner," "Aunty Doleful's Visit," "The Blacksmith's Story" and "The Smack in School;" personation in costume of an Irish woman.

Mrs. B. F. C. Boyd, Mrs. George A. Wyatt and Mrs. George S. Sherman went to Fall River on their wheels Tuesday.

Children's day will be observed at the Christian Church next Sunday.

Seth C. Rees was the preacher at the Friends' Church and Edwin J. Lord opened and closed the services, Sunday morning.

9th JUNE, 1897.

SPECIAL NOTICE!

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TO ANNEX HAWAII.

Treaty Signed and to be Sent to the Senate.

Formal Protest Entered by Japan Against the Agreement.

WASHINGTON, June 16.—The Hawaiian annexation treaty was signed at 9:30 o'clock this morning at the State Department by Secretary Sherman for the United States and Messrs. Hatch, Thurston and Kinney for Hawaii. The document will be submitted to the Senate today.

In the great diplomatic room of the State Department, where four years and four months ago, in the closing hours of the Harrison administration, the first Hawaiian annexation treaty was signed, only to be withdrawn from the Senate and thrown into a pigeon-hole, the representatives of the governments of the United States and Hawaii gathered this morning and signed a treaty by the terms of which, if ratified, the little island republic will become part of the territory of the United States.

Of the persons who stood in the room today three were present when the original treaty was signed; namely, Special Commissioner Lorin Thurston and Assistant Secretaries Adee and Cridler. The first named, perhaps, took a more sincere personal pleasure in the ceremony of this morning than any of the others, because of the stirring events of the last four years, in which he was directly concerned.

It is a very unusual thing for a treaty of such importance to be signed early in the morning, but in this case it was desired that the document be made ready early, in order that it might be submitted to the Senate on the day of its signature. The document itself had been prepared carefully ever night—in fact it was practically completed at the close of office hours yesterday, but it was necessary to make a close comparison, and the President wished another opportunity to go over the treaty, probably with a view to drawing up a message with which it will be accompanied to the Senate.

Therefore before 9 o'clock the persons who were concerned in the preparation of the treaty were all at the State Department. For the United States there were Secretary Sherman, Assistant Secretaries Day, Adee and Cridler, Private Secretary Babcock and Assistant Private Secretary Gaytre. On the Hawaiian side were Minister Hatch, Lorin Thurston and W. A. Kinney, all for this occasion accredited as special commissioners, duly empowered to negotiate a treaty of annexation.

After the formal greetings the credentials of the plenipotentiaries were examined and recorded. Secretary Sherman alone represented the United States in the signature of the convention, and it was part of the ceremony to record his authorization by the President just as much as it was the credentials of the Hawaiians from President Dole. Then came the reading and comparison of the treaty. Of this there were two drafts, one to be held by each, later on to be exchanged in the usual form. Altogether, it was twenty minutes after nine o'clock when all was ready for the signatures.

The Hawaiian representatives had brought with them a gold pen in a jewel holder, and at their request this was used for all of the signatures. Secretary Sherman signed first the copy to be held here, while Minister Hatch signed first the Hawaiian copy of the treaty. The treaties were sealed by Assistant Secretary Cridler, with a private seal carried on his watch-chain, the copies were handed to their respective custodians, and the treaty was made, as far as the executive branch of the government could effect it. There was a general exchange of congratulations between the parties to the ceremony, and after a photo had been taken of the commissioners the ceremony was ended.

Before the final signature of the document the Secretary of State was presented a formal protest by the Japanese government through its legation here, against the consummation of the agreement. The protest is understood to be based on the apprehension that the special treaties now existing between Japan and Hawaii, under which the Japanese enjoy advantages, will be affected injuriously by a complete annexation.

Provisions of the Convention.

The treaty provides that the government of the Hawaiian Islands cedes to the United States absolutely and forever all rights of sovereignty in and over the Hawaiian Islands and its dependencies, and that these islands shall become an integral part of the territory of the United States. The government of Hawaii also cedes to the United States all public lands and public buildings of all descriptions. Congress shall enact special laws to govern the disposition of the lands in the Hawaiian islands, all revenue from these lands to be used solely for the benefit of the inhabitants of the islands, for educational and other purposes. The Hawaiian Islands shall be admitted into the Union as a territory of the United States, local laws to be passed by a local legislature, but subject to the approval of the President. Until Congress shall apply the laws of the United States to the islands, the present laws of Hawaii are to govern. The present treaties and laws governing Hawaii's commercial relations with foreign nations shall remain in force until Congress shall take action. Further immigration of Chinese laborers is prohibited pending Congressional action, and the entry of Chinese from Hawaii is likewise prohibited. The United States assumes the public debt of Hawaii, but with a stipulation that this liability shall not exceed $4,000,000. The treaty before it becomes effective shall be ratified by the proper authorities of the United States and of Hawaii. No mention is made of any gratuity to Liliuokalani or Kaiulani.

Tea Plantations Injured by the Earthquake.

CALCUTTA, June 16.—Further reports of the destruction caused by the earthquake of last Saturday show that great damage was done at Dacca, Jamalpur and Mymensingh. At the latter place the Nawab had a miraculous escape. Great injury has been done to the tea plantations of Assam, Cachar and Dinjan, and a number of factories and machine houses have been wrecked.

Minister Terrill's Letters of Recall Presented.

CONSTANTINOPLE, June 16.—The retiring United States minister, Alexander W. Terrill, who started for Athens yesterday on his way to the United States, presented his letters of recall at the interview which he had with the sultan yesterday.

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ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH.

Annual Commencement Exercises at Brown University.

PROVIDENCE, June 16.—The one hundred and twenty-ninth commencement of Brown University took place in the First Baptist church today, beginning at 10 o'clock. Eight orations were read, as follows: "A Plea for the Re-organization of our Consular System," by Frank Oscar Jones of Providence; "Sceptical Thinking a Stage Intellectual Development," by Gregory Dexter Walcott of Warren; "Scientific Dogmatism," by James Tucker, Jr., of Providence; "New England Populism," by Jonathan Taylor of Akron, Ohio; "The Contribution of Brown University to International Affairs," by Arthur Wilbur McGrillis of Providence; "Moral Laziness the Foe of Municipal Reform," by John Howard Dunling of Boston; "Government by Horses," by Timothy Aloysius Fitzgerald of Millville, Mass.; "Greece and the Cuban Struggle for Liberty," by William Allen Scott of Providence.

The following honorary degrees were conferred: LL. D., on Hon. John Hay, ambassador to the court of St. James, class of 1878, A. M., on Elisha Dyer, governor of Rhode Island; William Carey Doslin, class of 1876, and Willard S. Allen of Boston, Mass. Doctor of Science, on Benjamin Franklin Clarke, acting president of Brown University.

STABBED AND ROBBED.

Recently Sold His Hotel and Lost the Whole $6,000.

ST. LOUIS, June 16.—C. B. Collins of Nashville, Tenn., who said he had but recently disposed of his hotel in that city, and had the proceeds, $6,000, on his person, was found badly wounded about midnight last night, at Meramec Highlands, fifteen miles from this city. He was bleeding from several wounds, and was so badly injured that he could not be moved. He told the watchman of the inn near where he was found that he had been stabbed and robbed of the $6,000 by Martin Enely, a travelling man, whom he had met in Nashville. Shortly before 3 o'clock Enely was arrested. He denied the robbery, and said a third person had held up both him and Collins. Enely's vest was covered with blood, so the officers say, and they found several hundred dollars on his person. Enely registered at the Southern Hotel as from Memphis.

BUTLER GUILTY.

Convicted of the Murder of Captain Waller in Australia.

SIDNEY, N. S. W., June 16.—The trial of Frank Butler, charged with the murder of Captain Lee Waller, who, it is alleged, he induced to go with him on a gold prospecting trip, was concluded today, the jury rendering a verdict of guilty.

Butler, after the murder of Captain Waller, escaped from Australia on ship Swanhilda, but upon the arrival of that vessel at San Francisco was arrested, and afterwards extradited. The plea of the defense at the trial just closed was that Captain Waller committed suicide.

FOR ATTEMPTED ARSON.

No Indictment Against Druggist Watson of Narragansett Pier.

PROVIDENCE, June 16.—The grand jury for Kent county, which came into court today at West Kingston, failed to find an indictment against Druggist Frank Watson of Narragansett Pier. Watson was charged with breaking and entering and attempting to burn the Continental Hotel at the Pier.

Steam Collier Founders, and Ten Men Drowned.

BELFAST, June 16.—Steam collier Susannah, Captain Kelly, has foundered in a hurricane which prevailed over Belfast lough. Ten members of the crew were drowned.

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Gold Drapery Cloth in new and pretty designs at **12 1-2c.** a yard.

Pure Silk Gloves with double finger tips, in black and colors, at **50c.** a pair.

Men's Cheviot Shirts, excellent quality and full sizes, in dark and light shades, at **45c.** each.

Men's Cambric Dress Shirts in pretty designs and colorings, with collars attached and detached, at **48c.** each.

Mohair Dress Skirts, full width and well made, at **$1.69** and **$1.95** each.

Leather Belts in all colors at **25c., 37c.** and **50c.**

Hemstitched Dress Lawn at **15c., 17c.** and **23c.** a yard.

Children's Hats, new styles, at **75c., 98c.** and **$1.25.**

Ecru Laces, a large variety, at **12 1-2c., 15c., 20c.** and **25c.** a yard.

Lawn Dressing Sacques, in red, blue, pink and lavender, at **59c., 98c.** and **$1.37.**

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This Morning's News.

ANGELL ACCEPTED.

Decision Announced in an Irade from the Sultan.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—A cablegram received at the State Department from the United States charge d'affaires at Constantinople this afternoon states that the sultan has issued an irade announcing the acceptance of Dr. Angell as minister from the United States. The action of the Porte was very welcome at the State Department, and the news will be communicated at once to Dr. Angell at his home in Ann Arbor, Mich.

Early in the day Moustapha Bey, the Turkish minister, came to the State Department. He had just returned from New York and announced with some disappointment that he had failed to receive any word from his government respecting the acceptance of Dr. Angell, and it was feared that the matter was being treated by the slow process of the mails. However, the later news coming to the department shows that the way is clear for Dr. Angell's reception.

CONSTANTINOPLE, June 15.—Mr. Terrell, the retiring American minister, started for Athens today, en route for the United States. Representatives of all the foreign legations and consulates, as well as of the American colony, paid Mr. Terrell a complimentary visit at the embassy, and much regret was expressed at his withdrawal. The retiring minister had been accorded a personal audience with the sultan.

NOT YET SIGNED.

Hawaiian Treaty, Though Ready, Not Reviewed by the President.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—It was the expectation that the Hawaiian treaty this afternoon would receive the formal signatures of the negotiators, Secretary Sherman for the United States government and either Minister Hatch or Mr. Lorin Thurston as a special commissioner for the Hawaiian government. The document itself had been prepared and everything was in readiness, when it was taken again to the White House for the President's final inspection and review. Secretary Sherman remained at the department later than is his custom in order to receive the Hawaiians, but finally at 4 o'clock the attempt to secure the signature of the treaty was abandoned. This may prevent the submission of the treaty to the Senate tomorrow, as was the intention of the Cabinet, but the delay in any case will not be material.

The one point of importance in which the treaty differs from the convention negotiated by Secretary Foster in President Harrison's administration is in the omission of any provision for ex-Queen Lilliuokalani and Princess Kaiulani. In the original treaty it was provided that the government of the United States should pay the ex-queen the sum of $20,000 cash and the same amount of money as a pension each year during the remainder of her natural life, provided she in good faith submitted to the government of the United States and the local government of the islands. Princess Kaiulani, being the next in line of royal blood, was to receive a cash payment of $150,000, but no pension, under a similar proviso as in the case of the ex-queen.

It is understood that any objection that might have been expected to the annexation of the Islands based on the large proportion of coolies in the population has been forestalled by an article not only prohibiting the further emigration of such laborers to the Hawaiian islands, but also prohibiting the coming of any of the Chinese from the islands to other parts of the United States.

It is not believed that there will be any attempt to secure immediate action on the treaty, and possibly it might not be considered at this special session.

DATE DELAYED.

Passage of the Tariff Bill Advanced from June 21 to July 1.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—The Republicans have abandoned all hope of getting the tariff bill through the Senate by the 21st of June. Last week the leaders were confident that next Monday would see the bill in conference, and so informed the President. Now they have definitely advanced the date to July 1. Several causes have contributed to delay consideration of the bill, and thus increase the exasperation that is being felt in business circles.

The rates, as fixed by the Republican leaders, were finally adopted this afternoon, after more than four days of consideration; but the tariff men have not yet reached an agreement upon the reciprocity treaty with Hawaii, and the whole subject of sugar may have to be gone over again when the question comes up for final decision.

The committee tonight have been discussing the deferred lead schedule, but without reaching an agreement. They may do so tomorrow morning, in which case they hope to proceed with its consideration in the Senate some time during the day. It is expected that the agricultural schedule, which follows sugar and tobacco, and of which consideration was begun late this afternoon, will be continued first.

It is the present purpose of the leaders to wait until the tariff bill is disposed of before taking up the Hawaiian annexation treaty, which the President, it is authoritatively stated, is to submit to the Senate in the immediate future. The leaders propose to have the treaty referred to the committee on foreign relations and held by them until the tariff bill is out of the way.

TIN PLATE WORKERS.

Strike in Preparation in Which 8,000 Men Will Join.

PITTSBURG, Penn., June 15.—A strike in the tin plate industry seems certain, and the conference on the wage scale arranged for tomorrow is not likely to accomplish anything tending to a settlement, as both sides are firm, and assert that no concessions will be made.

There are thirty-nine tin plate plants in the United States, operated by thirty-eight companies, the American Tin Plate Company operating two plants, one at Ellwood and the other at Montpelier, Indiana. These thirty-nine plants represent one hundred and eighty-eight mills, but nine of them are small affairs, and do not figure to any great extent in the industry. The total number of skilled workmen employed in the industry is 2,427, of which 273 are non-union men. The number of workers outside of the tonnage men employed at tin plate plants is 6,265, and a strike for the new wage scale will throw about 8,000 people out of employment.

Suppressing the Truth Regarding Cuba.

MADRID, June 15.—Senor Jose Celleruelo, a deputy for Asturias, has written a letter to the Imparcial denouncing the government, the newspapers and the statesmen for suppressing the truth in regard to Cuba. He says: "We know only too clearly what has been passing in Cuba, yet nobody dares to mention it; except secretly, and then, as if were, to merely relieve the horrible anxiety that is weighing down the heart. The result is that a deplorable condition of things will be revealed some day, amounting to cowardly weakness in the upper circles, and quiet resignation, approaching indifferent stupidity, in the masses."

FIRST IN AMERICA.

Catholic College for Women to be Founded in Washington.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—The Sisters of Notre Dame, whose mother house is at Namur, Belgium, have purchased twenty acres of land adjacent to the Catholic University, and propose to found thereon the first American Catholic college for women. This college will be under the auspices of the Catholic University of America, and, while the Sisters will conduct the administration, many of the professors of the Catholic University will lecture in the higher branches.

Since the opening of the lay department of the Catholic University great pressure has been brought to bear on the board of directing bishops for the admission of women students. During the last scholastic year more than one hundred such applications were made. Cardinal Gibbons, the chancellor, has, therefore, been quietly looking around for the medium by which the constantly increasing demand for higher education among Catholic young women could be supplied.

The Sisters who have undertaken this work are a congregation devoted exclusively to education. In England, Scotland and Belgium they conduct colleges for women affiliated with the most famous seats of learning in those countries.

The new institution will be known as Trinity College.

Bandmaster Fanciulli's Dismissal Recommended.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—The court-martial which recently tried Professor Fanciulli, leader of the Marine band, on charges growing out of his refusal to play certain marches ordered to be played on Decoration day by Lieutenant Draper of the marine corps, has found him guilty of disobedience of orders and has recommended his dismissal from the service. Colonel Heywood, commandant of the corps, has approved the recommendation, and it has been forwarded to the Navy Department.

FRANKING FOR THE BOYS.

"Let this go. A. LINCOLN."

Unless it has been destroyed, there is in a home in Fond du Lac county a soldier letter in an envelope bearing the above words signed by the great war President.

Frank King was a Lamartine boy, fresh from the farm, and a character our whole company took to kindly from the first.

When the army was camped in Virginia, near Washington, in the winter of 1861-62, it was a common practice with the soldiers, when they got a pass, to visit the city, to buy a package of envelopes and call at the Capitol, send in for their Senator or Representative, and get him to frank them.

One of our boys came back to camp in high feather. He had two packages of envelopes—one franked by Senator James R. Doolittle, now a Chicago lawyer; the other by the late Senator T. O. Howe, who succeeded Captain James as Postmaster General in President Arthur's Cabinet. For twenty years Senators and members have been giving a good deal of their time to helping the soldiers with their pension claims. If they have done it as willingly and pleasantly as they used to frank envelopes for the boys, they must be pretty nearly angels.

"You fellows, there, are making a big blast over getting a couple of Senators to frank your envelopes," said Frank King. "Just you wait till you see me come back from Washington with the President's name on some letter covers."

Within a few days Frank King and Harry Donn, who for years after the war were Chicago business men, went to the city. They called at the White House. It was easier to see the President then than it is now. At certain hours of the day a soldier could reach the chief executive with fully as much ease as a Senator can in these latter years.

King was the ringleader. Approaching the guard, he said: "We want to see Mr. Lincoln. Please stand aside and let us pass."

"Who are you and what is your business?"

"You tell old Abe we have charge of a regiment over on Arlington Heights, and want to see him on an important matter. He'll let us in."

"Where are your shoulder straps?"

"We came over in our everyday clothes. Come, we are in a hurry. Let us go in and see Mr. Lincoln."

The parley had attracted the attention of the President. The door swung open and the good-natured chief of the nation smiled upon the cheeky young fellows and bade them step right in.

"What can I do for you, my men?"

"Mr. Lincoln, I want you to frank these envelopes," said King.

"Better get your Congressman to do that."

"I'd much rather have you do it, Mr. Lincoln. The folks at home would like to see your name on my letters."

"I'll fix one of them. Take the rest to your Congressman. Who is he?"

"I don't know."

"Where is your home?"

"Lamartine, Fond du Lac county, Wisconsin."

"That is my friend, Scott Sloan's district. You go to Mr. Sloan. He will fix the rest of them."

The President shook hands with the two privates, asked them to be brave soldiers, and wished them a safe return to their Western homes.

Frank couldn't make his tentmates believe that the President had written, "Let this go, A. Lincoln," but the next day he wrote a letter to his father. The name of Lincoln was personally examined by all of the neighbors.

In January, 1864, our regiment was in Washington on our way home, having reenlisted—"veteranized," as they called it. In company with two others I went to the White House. The President shook hands with us, thanked us for swearing in for three years more, and expressed the hope that we would have a nice visit on our veteran furlough.

"Mr. President," said Jones-Ed-Jones—of whom I have spoken several times in these chapters, "you franked a letter for one of the boys in our company, Frank King. I wish you would frank one for me."

"Odd as it may seem, you are the second soldier to make such a request. So both are of the same company. Very well."

On Jones's envelope he wrote "A. Lincoln, President," and as he handed it back he asked what became of that other man who had asked him to pass a letter.

"He was killed at Gettysburg."

I shall never forget the look of sadness in the President's face when the answer was given, and it had not disappeared when he left the room.

"Jones, what did you tell him about King for. Did you see how it pained him?"

"What did he ask about him for? Do you suppose I was going to lie to a man I would die for?" was Jones's indignant reply.—[Chicago Times-Herald.

NOT A VACANCY FOR WEST POINT CADETS.

Adjutant General Ruggles has returned to Washington from West Point, where he distributed the diplomas to the graduates of the Military Academy. The class numbered sixty-seven young men, and the officers are disturbed over the fact that there is not at present a single actual vacancy in the army for the boys, who must, in consequence, content themselves with commissions as additional second lieutenants until in the course of time they may be assigned second lieutenancies, occurring through resignations or promotions or retirements in the higher grades. At the present moment there are still six of the graduates of last year awaiting their turn for vacancies in the lower grade of the line. There are two of them in the engineers and four in the artillery. The officers at the department are disposed to attribute the unsatisfactory state of affairs to the appointment of an undue number of men from the ranks to commissioned places, which the present law appears to require. This year's graduating class from West Point is said to be unusually strong at all points, as an evidence of which seven of the boys have been recommended for assignment to the engineer corps. The nominations of the graduates as additional second lieutenants will probably be sent to the Senate very soon.

NOTABLE ANNIVERSARIES.

June 16.

1553—Christopher (Kit) Marlow, English dramatic poet, killed at Deptford; born in Canterbury 1564.

1815—Napoleon defeated Blucher at Ligny, and the allies defeated Ney at Quatre Bras, both preparatory to Waterloo. The defeat of Blucher at Ligny led to the battle on the field of Waterloo. Blucher retreated from Ligny to Waterloo, Ney's battle at Quatre Bras detained Wellington's troops and prevented the junction of the Prussian and English. Wellington retired to Waterloo to unite with Blucher. The fate of Napoleon was settled by these preliminaries, for his salvation lay in keeping the allies divided.

1866—Prussia set her armies in motion and the single campaign war with Austria began.

1885—Edwin Percy Whipple, author, died in Boston; born 1819.

1892—Tornado struck train in Wisconsin, killing several people. Lightning struck Grant statue at Chicago, killing 3 people.

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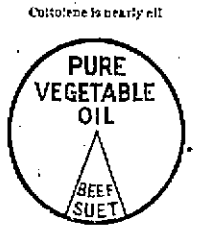

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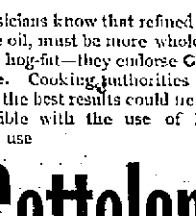

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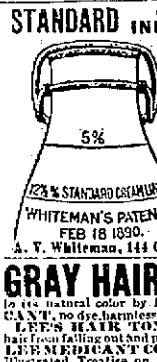

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SQUADRON EVOLUTIONS?

Is the North Atlantic Fleet to Have Them This Year?

"Is the North Atlantic squadron to have no training in naval tactics this year?" was a question I heard asked by one of the most capable officers of command rank in the navy. "Even before Commodore Bunce gave up the command the ships were dispersed, and there has been no attempt since that time to assemble even a few of them for tactical work.

"It is not necessary to point out to naval officers the importance of evolutionary exercises. The only sea fight of modern times—that between the fleets of Japan and China off the mouth of the Yalu—was won by the Japanese quite as much by their superiority in fleet manoeuvres as by their greater skill with their guns, and whenever our fleet is called upon to meet that of a European nation the need of naval tactics will be even more imperative.

"Yet what have we done? and, still worse, what are we doing, to teach our flag officers how to direct the evolutions of a fleet, or our captains how to execute them? Rear Admirals Walker and Meade had four ships, and short and rare opportunities were given to them for exercising them in fleet movements. Commodore Bunce alone had a chance to manoeuvre a fleet, and no one who saw it at work can doubt the value of the training then given to it.

"But now Commodore Bunce is on shore duty, and the present commander-in-chief—zealous and capable officer though he is—has never before flown his flag afloat, nor, since taking command, has he had a half dozen ships in his wake at sea.

"Worse than that, most of his captains have had no more practice in evolutions than he has had. If Bunce still held the command, with the same men in command of the ships, there might be some color of an excuse for the total waste of the squadron's time this summer in the plea that it has been well exercised already. But the conditions are wholly changed. So far as the capacity to execute evolutions is concerned, the North Atlantic squadron today is practically a new and untrained organization as compared with what it was under Bunce.

"The failure to assemble all the ships with the flag is the more extraordinary in view of the attitude of foreign powers toward the United States. No one need be an alarmist to recognize the possibility of war at an early day between this country and Spain—yes, or Japan. The less we are ready for it the more likely it will be to happen. If Spain knew that the Indiana, the Massachusetts, the Maine, the Texas, the Puritan and the New York—six powerful armored ships—accompanied by a half dozen of our cruisers, were assembled in one fleet on our coast undergoing practical training for fleet fighting, any reasonable request or suggestion the United States might make would receive instant and respectful attention—and the same with Japan.

"But as long as we have no fleet, but only a straggling array of ships attending flower shows and flag raisings, it would not be surprising if foreigners should begin to believe that our navy is good for little else than firing salutes."—[Washington correspondent of New York Herald.

SUDDEN DEATH OF MRS. E. PHILIP MASON.

Mrs. Mary E. Raymond, wife of E. Philip Mason of Providence and daughter of the late Henry J. Raymond of New York, died suddenly in New York Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Mason had been spending the winter on the Riviera, where Mr. Mason had been ordered after a long and serious illness. They reached New York only last week Monday and were spending a few days with Mrs. Raymond. Mrs. Mason had some fever on the steamer and soon after landing peritonitis set in, which terminated fatally.

Mr. E. Philip Mason is the elder brother of Mr. A. Livingston Mason of this city and second son of the late Earl P. Mason, who until his death spent the summer in Newport in the house he built at the end of Bellevue avenue, now owned by Mr. Egerton L. Winthrop. Mrs. Mason leaves an only child, Mrs. Charles C. Burnett.

A NEWPORT TEACHER IN BRISTOL.

The Bristol Phenix says: "The pupils of the public schools gave an interesting and skillful exhibition of drawing and clay modeling Saturday afternoon in the Dyfeld building. The exhibition was in charge of the drawing teacher, Miss Bryer, and the commendable work of the scholars in every grade reflected much credit on their instructor. It is to be regretted that but a comparatively small number of parents showed their interest in the work by attending the exhibition. Drawing is an important part of education, and Miss Bryer's painstaking efforts deserve the greatest encouragement."

The teacher of drawing is Miss Sarah W. Bryer of this city, daughter of Mr. Andrew Bryer, who was formerly a teacher in the local public schools. The exhibition was repeated last Saturday, when it was visited by a number of the Newport teachers.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

Local Union, No. 176, Carpenters and Joiners of America, has elected the following officers:

President—Adolphus Duffany.
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Trustee, for eighteen months—Adolphus Duffany.

JAMESTOWN.

[Regular correspondence of the News.]

Mrs. William Alderson died at her home near the west ferry about 11 o'clock yesterday morning. She had been in failing health for more than a year, but her disease took a serious turn only within the past few weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Alderson moved to Jamestown last fall from Newport, and during her residence here Mrs. Alderson had formed many acquaintances. She leaves a husband, a daughter and a son.

Mr. Oscar Clarke, a student at the Brooklyn Polytechnic Collegiate Institute, has arrived for his summer vacation.

Dr. and Mrs. McClellan of Philadelphia have arrived at their cottage for the season.

The gunners at Fort Adams were yesterday firing shells at a target a mile distant. As the target was located just opposite the village of Jamestown, the people found it interesting to watch the explosion of the shells, which usually occurred just over the target, the fragments dropping around it. As smokeless powder was used no smoke could be seen when the shell left the gun, but there was a small puff when the shell exploded. The target was anchored directly in the course of the Conanicut.

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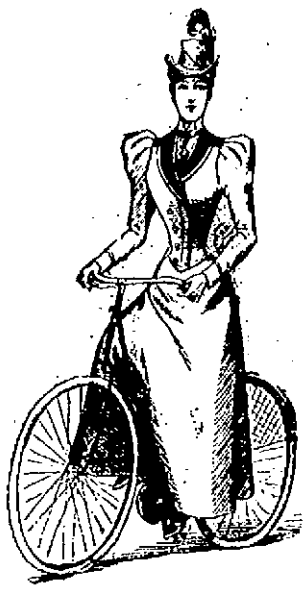
A CYCLING COSTUME.

Pavement-grey, smooth-faced cloth is used for this costume. The waist is made with the usual forms in the back, and the front is fitted with one dart on each side. The shawl collar is faced with velvet of a darker shade, and a white collar and cheminette are worn with a bright red tie. Soutache braid to match the tone of the velvet is put on the bottom of the waist in two rows and over the side back



seams, ending in trefoil design at top and bottom. On the sleeves are also two rows of braid with a design. Bone buttons are used.

The hat is of felt to match the color of the cloth of the costume, with trimmings of a darker shade of the same color.

Some of the new waists for cycling costumes are made with the postillion back, but the short round or slightly pointed back is preferred by many.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Mrs. E. L. Schott has returned from New York.

—Schooner yacht Fortuna and yawl Montecito are in port.

—Miss Paul of Philadelphia is at her cottage on Washington street.

—Miss Alice Ketcltas of New York has arrived at her cottage on Webster street.

—Mrs. Thomas Hitchcock of New York has arrived at the Chanler villa, near the beach.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Robbins, Mrs. H. C. Robbins and Mr. H. Pelham Robbins sailed for Europe today.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robinson are visiting Mrs. C. N. Beach at "Heartsease." Mrs. Robinson is Mrs. Beach's daughter.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Abell have gone to West Yarmouth for the summer. Mr. Abell has named his summer home "Old Mill Park."

—Marion McAllister Clarke and Augustin Powell Hamlin of this city are members of the class which graduated today from Brown University.

—Mr. C. Vanderbilt, Jr.'s, 20-footer Veda arrived here from Bristol yesterday afternoon. The boat is new and was built for Mr. Vanderbilt by the Herreshoffs.

—Mrs. E. G. S. Slater of Washington has arrived at the W. R. Travers villa on Narragansett avenue. Miss Gwynn of Washington will, as usual, spend the summer with her.

—The Bristol Naval Reserves have voted not to go to Providence July 5, and will participate in the parade in their own town, having voted to extend an invitation to the Newport and Providence companies to be guests of the Bristol organization on that day.

—A. O'D. Taylor has sold, through Herbert L. Dyer, to Edward W. Openshaw and Mrs. Katherine Openshaw, the house, stable and lot containing 3,707 square feet of land, situated at 101 Prospect Hill street, for Oscar W. Kreis and Leila Kreis of New York, heirs of the late Thisbe Henderson.

THIS YEAR'S KNOCKABOUT RACERS.

The three new Herreshoff knockabouts, Sallie III, Cockatoo and Fly, are hauled out at Marblehead to be smoothed up and painted for the Nahant regatta tomorrow. These boats were built for the purpose of beating out the Cock Robin, last year's champion, and Mr. Herreshoff is in a fair way to succeed with some one of them, but, from the performances thus far, it is about an even thing among them.

The Sallie III and the Cockatoo are identical in shape, being fuller forward and finer aft than the Cock Robin, and with possibly more displacement lower down. The greatest difference between them and last year's champion is above the water line, where they are fuller and shorter. On the whole they are not so graceful as the Cock Robin, and this same thing applies to the Fly, except that the latter has much less displacement, and, from appearances, 5 per cent less lead. The Fly has long ends, even longer than the Cock Robin. The Hazard, the fourth of the new boats, has no house, unlike the three others.

In rig the Fly differs from her sisters from the fact that a line drawn from the end of the main boom to the lack of the jib and from the peak to the deck is proportionately lower, giving her a lower centre of effort. The Fly and the Hazard are about the same shape.

The rig of the Cockatoo and the Sallie III is nearly the same, being loftier than that of the Fly. The Cockatoo and Sallie III have the same lateral plan as the Cock Robin, and any saving which has been made has been in shortening the girth line.

A new X-ray tube, with adjustable cathode, shows that the exact position of the cathode enormously affects the penetration of the rays, a change of a third of an inch giving a range of penetrative power from the highest almost to none at all.

A SOUL LOST AND FOUND.

Lo! here another
Soul has gone down.
Hope led each morrow;
Honor was all;
Faith had no fall;
Fortune no frown.
Brother by brother
Bowed to each sorrow.
None had lost heart;
Life was love, life was art.

We could but follow!
Quenchless his fire;
The mightier the burden
The stronger his soul,
The higher the goal.
Now see the mire
Soil him and swallow!
Heaven! what guerdon
Worth such a cost!
Love, art, life—lost, all lost.

Down to the pallid
Figure of death
Love's face is pressing;
Listens and waits,
Beseeching the Fates
For heart-beat and breath—
Sign clear and valid,
Life still confessing.
Dead! He is dead!
All is lost! He has fled.

Behold now, a moving,
A flutter of life!
Forth from the darkness,
Horror and slime,
See, he doth climb.
With himself is the strife;
Back to the loving
From mire and the darkness,
Back to the sun!
He has fought—he has won.

—[Richard Watson Gilder, in Independent.

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Forward, hop forward, O Time, in your flight;
Give us a spell of warm weather tonight.
We are all so tired of bone-shaking chills—
Weary, so weary, of paying coal bills.
This sort of weather is making us sick.
Forward, hop forward, and do it blamed quick!

—[Omaha World-Herald.

"Do you say your prayers, little girl?"
"Naw! I tried it and it didn't work, so now I hustles papers for a livin'."—[Life.

"I told him I would stake my reputation upon it."
"What did he say?"
"That he wasn't offering odds."—[Puck.

Hunker—I suppose your deaf-mute friend cannot talk so well since he lost his right hand?

Spatts—No. He talks in an off-hand manner now.—[Life.

"A penny saved," said Uncle Eben, "is a penny earned. But dat ain' no 'scuse fuh wastin' mo' time tryin' ter dodge er expense oh two bits dan it ud take ter git fo' dollars by workin'."—[Washington Star.

Barrow—That's a dandy wheel you have there, old man. I'll take a little spin on it some day. By the way, what kind of a wheel do you think I ought to ride?

Murrow—One of your own.—[Brooklyn Life.

Miss Bostonwick—Did you go to the Wagner concert?

Mr. Porker—I did.

Miss B.—What was it like?

Mr. P.—Like Browning set to music.—[Brooklyn Life.

The amount of iron in the human blood is about an ounce to the one hundred pounds, or a little over a quarter of an ounce to the individual. One would suppose the amount much greater, considering how rapidly some persons grow rusty.—[Boston Transcript.

"This is a wonderful age of invention," remarked the young man of serious inclinations.

"Yes," replied the skeptic, "and the new machines we are getting do not show that fact nearly as much as the stories invented by inventors about the things they are going to invent."—[Washington Star.

PERSONALS.

....Among the recipients of honorary degrees from the University of Oxford are Mr. Wilfred Laurier, premier of the Dominion of Canada; Sir William V. Whiteway, premier of Newfoundland, and E. L. Godkin, editor of the New York Evening Post.

....Ex-Secretary of the Navy Richard W. Thompson has just celebrated his eighty-eighth birthday quietly at his home in Terre Haute, Ind. He is in good health, and continues to take much interest in public affairs. Only a few evenings ago he delivered before the Terre Haute Literary Club a lecture on the war between Greece and Turkey, which is said to have been as fine an effort as any he has made in the nearly half a century in which some of the older citizens present had been listening to his speeches and public addresses.

....Count Manfred von Matuschka, Baron de Toppolezen and Spatten, was married yesterday in Detroit, Mich., to Miss Ella Holbrook Walker, whose father is a millionaire and a member of the firm of Hiram Walker & Sons of Walkerville. The count is wealthy and a lieutenant in the body guard of the Emperor of Germany. None but the most intimate friends of the family were present at the wedding ceremony, which took place at the home of the bride. A justice of the peace performed the civil ceremony, after which Bishop John Foley gave the count and countess the blessing of the Catholic church.

THE TINTS OF BIRDS' EGGS.

The beautiful and delicate colors observed on the eggs of birds are not very fast to light, more especially when they belong to the lighter class of colors. Egg collections, remarks a well-known ornithologist, should be carefully protected from the light by some covering over the case when they are not being inspected; otherwise much of their beauty of tint becomes lost in course of time. It is gratifying to notice that in museums and natural history collections this precaution of protecting egg cases with covers is now almost universally observed. In many instances some of the finest and most characteristic tints of several eggs disappear on exposure to much sunlight. A common example may be found in the beautiful pale blue of the starling's egg. This, on exposure to sunlight for a few days, loses its clear blueness of tone, and becomes purplier, approaching more to the slate tint. Such is also the case with most of the greenish blue eggs, like those of many sea birds, the common guillemot's, for instance, the beauty of which depends largely on the clear freshness of its blue tints.

The writer some time ago made some experiments on the fastness in sunlight of these egg tints. The method employed was a very simple one, and may be briefly described as follows: Various birds' eggs were selected for experiment, those having decided and well-marked colors being preferred. These shells were halved lengthwise, care being taken before the operation to divide it so that each half should as nearly as possible present the same amount of coloring. One half was kept from the light for future comparison, while the other half was exposed in a glass case to direct sunshine. After various exposures, amounting to one hundred hours' sunshine, each exposed half was then compared with its unexposed counterpart, and the changes in hue were carefully noted. Little change was visable in the darker-colored eggs of the olive brown or chocolate depth, but in the lighter or tints, especially among the blues and green blues, the changes became more marked.—[Nature.

C. Ellis Stevens, the well known author of "Sources of the Constitution of the United States," has issued a volume of poems, "The Romance of Arenfels and Other Tales of the Rhine," of which Edmund Clarence Stedman says: "I am surprised at one thing quite unusual nowadays: to wit, they are interesting."

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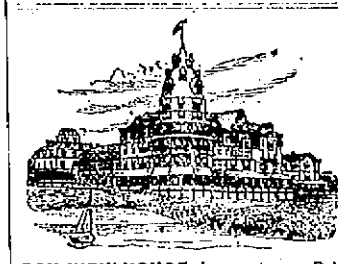

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DEMOCRATIC PROTECTIONISTS.

Some of the Republican organs are making themselves merry over the fact that there is a disposition among certain Southern Democrats to forsake their old-time tariff for revenue doctrines, and become protectionists. There is certainly a tendency in the direction indicated, and for the best of reasons. In the first place, there have sprung up large and powerful trusts in their section of the country which demand help from Congress, and can afford, if need be, to pay for it. The Democrats were never above taking advantage of a good opportunity, whenever and wherever presented, and the methods now pursued are after the manner of politicians generally, whether Democratic or Republican.

But it is altogether a mistaken idea that the Democrats have heretofore always been the advocates of free trade and the people's rights. Some of the founders, and not a few of the earlier leaders, of the party have believed in and taught the doctrines of protection, as some of them are doing now. It is well known that in the days of John C. Calhoun the South favored a protective tariff, while the New England states, under the leadership of Webster, were solid for what we would now term tariff for revenue only—or free trade. The tariff of 1816 was moderately protective, and the whole commercial interests of all parts of the country, particularly Massachusetts, were stoutly against it, because it was too high. This may sound oddly enough in these days, but it is nevertheless true.

And so in 1824, when the protection fever ran high, Henry Clay led the fight for a high tariff in the House, with Buchanan of Pennsylvania an able lieutenant. And with Clay we find John C. Calhoun, the chief foes of the Democratic faith, using the same arguments against a low tariff we hear from Republican spellbinders today. Webster, one of the patron saints of the Republican party, referred to the principles advocated by Clay and Calhoun as "the obsolete and exploded notion of protection." Calhoun said: "When our manufacturers are grown to certain perfection, as they soon will be under the fostering care of the government, we shall no longer experience these evils."

Thomas H. Benton and Martin Van Buren, whose Democratic halos are still resplendent, were the most ultra-protectionists in those days. But in the same year Webster and Calhoun used the words quoted above, they flopped clean over, Webster becoming a protectionist and Calhoun a free trader, and for purely selfish reasons, too. Massachusetts and other New England states were developing along manufacturing lines, and the commercial interests which before had clamored for free trade now yelled themselves hoarse for protection; nor have they stopped since. The South, having no factories, but millions of acres under cultivation, stopped crying for protection and bellowed for free trade; nor has it ceased even unto this day until Senator Bacon's amendment came in sight.

It is a divine and constitutional right that a statesman may change his mind as often as he sees fit, or as often, at least, as the nature of his constituents demands it. Henry Clay stands alone as constant to his principles. He was a protectionist first and last, and, singular as it may seem, Kentucky was with him, as Calhoun's state was with him in his flops. There is nothing new under the sun, not even the South's tendency toward protection.

WAR WITH CUBA.

The war clouds begin to hang heavily over Cuba. At least that appears to be the opinion of those who thirst for Spanish blood, and who will not be appeased until there is a resort to arms. But others are believed to carry no water, or to be surcharged with dangerous electricity.

That there are serious misunderstandings between the United States and Spain may be very true, but there is a better way than to proceed to make a bad matter worse by killing thousands of our own countrymen on our part simply to avenge the murder of one of our citizens.

Dr. Ruiz was doubtless murdered in prison. And, if so, the act was dastardly and must be avenged. Neither President McKinley nor the American people generally will consent to allow the wrong to go unpunished, nor should they. As the wrongs done us by England during the war of the rebellion were righted, so far as it is possible to make such things right, through diplomacy, so the wrongs done us by Spain can, and doubtless will, be settled in the same way. At least there is no occasion for war or war talk until we have tried the better way and failed.

Fortunately, the President is known to be a man of peace. He is also a man of sober discretion, and not at all inclined to jingo ways and measures. He will doubtless hold the Spaniards to strict account, and win. There is a bare possibility that Spain will be foolhardy enough to refuse our demands and reject our overtures, but it is not probable. She may bluster and fume awhile, but with prudent management on our part will eventually come to terms and the two nations be at peace. At all events we must do our part towards defending the good name of the closing years of the nineteenth century by eschewing the barbarities to the uttermost possible limit consistent with national honor and a decent respect to interests of our own people, to say nothing of those of other lands.

MORE REVENUE NEEDED.

The sundry civil service appropriation bill, which was passed by the last Congress and vetoed by President Cleveland, has been repassed by the present Congress and signed by President McKinley. In the first instance the Republican chairman of the committee on appropriations, Mr. Cannon of Illinois, declared that the items covered larger sums than were needed, or, to use his exact language, were "in excess of the legitimate demands of the public service," which, however, had little or no effect in hindering or delaying the passage of the bill. A careful examination of the document convinced the President that such was the case, and he accordingly withheld his approval. The veto for the reasons given in the accompanying message met the approval of the country at large, though of course it was not pleasing to the spoilsmen, who were interested in the objectionable features.

When the session of the present Congress began, this appropriation bill was very properly taken up, and without much ceremony repassed with all its objectionable features, including those which had been pointed out and shown to be "jobs" pure and simple. On entering upon the duties of his office, President McKinley said: "Economy is demanded in every branch of the government at all times, but especially in periods like the present of depression in business and distress among the people." That was a noble utterance, and true in every particular. And it is as true now as when first put before the public. There is not the slightest probability that the President has changed his opinion on that point, and it is presumably a desire not to break with his party that apparently forces him to give his approval to a measure saturated with extravagance if not fraud. It is evidently a case where it is necessary to stoop in order to conquer.

Judge Baker P. Lee, the Democratic candidate for governor of Virginia, says: "As a candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor, it is not my purpose to pay the assessment made by the Richmond committee for the expenses of the primary there. The precedent involved in the assessment is bad. The principle is worse." This is very displeasing to the practical politicians, but as the judge is firm in his refusal there is no help for it. Mr. Lee is the candidate of the free-silver wing of his party in that state.

According to a Chicago paper, the Washington Post has been looking over Senator Mason's books, and finds that up to date he has called at the White House 110 times, has received 2,723 calls from his constituents and expended $175 for postage and cab hire. Our contemporary infers from this showing that the Senator has nothing to balance the other side of the account. It evidently overlooks the fact that the Chicago statesman already has landed one beautiful little consulship, and has had two nibbles, which he didn't count.

The late Alvan G. Clark, in an address delivered before the Congress of Astronomy and Astrophysics some time ago, indicated his belief that the telescope of the future will be much more powerful than the present instrument. He said: "The horizon of science has been greatly broadened within the last few years, but out on the borderland I see the glimmer of new lights, which wait for their interpretation, and the great telescopes of the future must be their interpreters."

The sugar schedule has run amuck in the Senate. Some of the Republican members have been carried along about as far as they are willing to go. Senators Allison, Spooner and several others are not satisfied with the bill as it stands, and the matter is laid aside for the time being. From the other house word comes that Congressman Dingley, the author of the original bill, will fight the Senate amendments "into the very last ditch" and strangle them if possible.

The President's Cuban policy is not yet known, and it is supposed will not be determined until he hears further from his special messenger, and a minister to Spain is appointed. We cannot well deal with that country so long as we have no accredited representative at Madrid in whom the President can confide. And so nothing is likely to be done in that direction for some weeks at least. This will prove a sore trial to the jingoists, and is in reality an unfortunate phase of the questions at issue.

The Hawaiian treaty, which was duly signed and made ready for the Senate this morning, it is believed will receive the needed two-thirds vote for ratification. At the same time a protest comes from Japan, which objects on the ground that it involves certain treaty violations of which this country is bound to take cognizance. There are evidently lively times ahead.

The New York Herald heads a subscription for $1,000 for the relief of Mark Twain, and invites others to join in a spontaneous contribution to the worthy object.

Boston has just sent one of its wicked officials to prison for the term of eight years, and there are several others apparently on the way to keep him company.

Friends of General Lew Wallace are actively managing his campaign for election to the United States Senate, to succeed Senator Turple.

The Woonsocket Reporter has it that Senator Hoar is very polite to Senator Tillman, for the same reason that a nice old gentleman in spotless broadcloth might be polite to a street gamin with plenty of material and a strong taste for throwing mud.

A New York reporter is in danger of contempt proceedings from the court which is about to try the tobacco trust officers. He interviewed the jurymen who had been empaneled after considerable delay and cross-questioning. One juror defended the trust, and is said to have expressed the opinion that the complaints came from Jews, to whom the combination would not sell. The reporter declared on the witness stand that the interview was correct as published, but the juror denied making the statements that were most objectionable. In our opinion, a newspaper reporter who would approach a juror in that way, and the juror who consented to be interviewed, should go to jail together.

The great petition in behalf of the recognition of Cuban belligerency has been unrolled and examined. It is found that there is a shrinkage from the boasted 6,000,000 names, to not far from 15,000. That is about the allowance which is to be made to the jingo pretension generally.

The loss of the emigrant station on Ellis Island, New York, is an unfortunate affair, in which almost the whole world is interested in one sense or another. But it was fortunate that out of the two hundred and fifty inmates there at the time not one was injured.

The Boston Transcript, among all the newspapers of Massachusetts, stands alone in its opposition to the theatre-hat ordinance.

Spain is said to be brushing up her warships, but nobody appears frightened.

PRISON REFORM.

Sociologists have been paying an unusual amount of attention of late to the questions of prison reform, reduction of the criminal classes and the like. The tendency crops up sporadically and by suggestion continually in all parts of the country. California is just now studying the matter as the result of the recent outbreak among the convicts in the San Quentin prison; Missouri is discussing the advisability of passing a law that permits a magistrate to parole all prisoners under twenty-five years of age who have been convicted of minor crimes; Kansas is trying the experiment of clothing some of her convicts with other than the regulation striped garb. There seems to be a movement toward a study of the prison question in its broadest sense, and doubtless much will be heard of this matter in the next few years as the students and the theorists and the practical administrators of penal institutions exchange views. The parole system is practically in vogue here to a certain extent in the police court, and it seems to work well, especially in the case of young offenders, who might be tainted with crime germs if sent to jail or even to the reform school. Here it goes under the name of accepting personal bonds. In Missouri there is a general belief that very few persons are ever reformed within the walls of the prison, and that as regards the sum-total of crime it is often a mistake to confine the wrongdoer. Certainly it is true that many lives have been led into the channel of habitual crime by early imprisonment, at the age when the mind is only too ready to absorb unwholesome tendencies. There is much to be said in favor of the Kansas idea of discriminating between well-behaved and incorrigible prisoners by means of their dress. Stripes are everywhere the badge of infamy. They carry with them a sense of degradation that often overcomes all good resolutions to reform. The man who errs should be given every chance to lift his nature to its proper level, and to that end nothing better can be done than to clothe him in garments that, while uniform, give him a certain amount of self-respect.—[Washington Star.

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WANTED—By young girl, situation as chambermaid and waitress. Call at present employer's, Mrs. C. A. Ives, 54 Everett street.

WANTED—Refined young man, speaking English and German, would like to be companion to bachelor, or wait on table in private family. Box 11, Daily News Office.

WANTED—Situation by first-class laundress, in a private family. Call or address Mrs. Knutson, 741 Spring street, corner Narragansett avenue.

WANTED—Situation to do laundry work, or chambermaid work and laundry work. 53 Charles st.

WANTED—Situation by a first-class colored cook. Address Box 19, Daily News Office.

WANTED—Gentleman wishes to find situation for first-class coachman; understands all parts of the business, four-in-hand and tandem, and teaching young ladies and gentlemen to ride and drive; can be recommended by well known people. Present employer going to Europe. Address S. C. M., Box 65, Daily News Office.

WANTED—Place by butler or second man; is a good waiter. New York and Newport references. Box 27, Daily News Office.

WANTED—First-class laundress wishes to get a family's washing to take home or go out by the day. Reference if required. Box 13, Daily News Office.

WANTED—Situation by young German waiter; private or elsewhere; is willing to do any work. Age 20. Speaks a little English. Inquire 25 East Bowery street.

WANTED—An Egyptian lady would like a position as chambermaid and waitress or to take care of middle-aged children. Speaks perfect French and German, and also English; educated in Vienna. Apply to Box 22, Daily News Office.

WANTED—Situation to do general housework in a small family; no objections to the country. Apply 94 Bridge street.

WANTED—Situation as seamstress (experienced in dressmaking) in private family, or work by the day; terms reasonable. Box 43, Daily News Office.

WANTED—By young man, employment of some kind. Will work for a very small salary; can furnish very best of references. Address Box 9, Daily News Office.

WANTED—Situation as coachman in a private family, by an experienced man; best of references. Address Box 68, Daily News Office.

A New York Dressmaker

Wants engagements out at home. Stylish fitter; remodeling equal to new. First-class references. M. H. Ready, 95 William street.

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Errand boy, 16 years old; must be bright and active. Apply Mirabella, 143 Bellevue avenue.

WANTED—Young man who can keep books and make himself useful in office, for three months. Address Box 8, Daily News Office.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply at 39 Houston avenue.

TENEMENTS, ROOMS AND BOARD.

TO LET—Furnished rooms. Modern improvements. Terms reasonable. 26 Church street, lower bell.

TO LET—To one or two gentlemen, pleasant front bedroom, centrally located; terms reasonable. Box 45, Daily News Office.

TO LET—Tenement of six rooms, with all modern improvements. Apply to A. Stevens, 48 and 50 Spring street.

TO LET—Three rooms; front room with folding bed, dining room and kitchen, fully furnished for housekeeping; rent reasonable. Call 3 Broadway between 8 and 9 evenings.

TO LET—Furnished room at 616 Thames street, between Hammond and Dixon streets. Front room with bath, suitable for a lady.

TO LET—Nicely furnished or unfurnished rooms, in house with bath. Terms moderate. References required. Inquire at Kay street and Howard avenue.

TO LET—On Pleasant street new tenement of seven rooms, with all modern improvements. Apply to A. O'D. Taylor, Bellevue avenue.

FURNISHED ROOMS—With modern conveniences, with or without board, at Adams House, 166 Thames street.

WANTED—Summer boarders at Mrs. Charles S. Sherman's. Address, Thurston avenue.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET—With or without board, at 22 Prospect Hill street. Mrs. C. Anderson.

MONEY TO LOAN.

$20 to $500 advanced to responsible ladies or gentlemen, merchants, farmers, clerks, etc., on note. Transactions confidential. Terms moderate. Repayments to suit borrower, installments or at expiration of time. J. C. WILLIAMS & Co., 757 Broadway, N. Y.

NOTICES.

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS.

NEWPORT, Sc.

To the Honorable Common Pleas Division of the Supreme Court of Newport County. The undersigned respectfully represent that they are the school committee of the town of Little Compton in said State; that at a town meeting legally holden in the town hall in said town of Little Compton on the 7th day of April A. D. 1897, the subject having been duly inserted in the warrant for said town meeting, it was voted to abolish all the school districts in said town and that thereupon the property which was vested in said school districts became vested in said town of Little Compton, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 51 of the General Laws.

They therefore petition this Honorable Court to appoint a commission of three disinterested persons to appraise the property so taken by said town, and that notice may be given to all persons in interest to appear at a time and place therein specified to be heard in relation thereto.

FRED W. C. ALMY, Chairman.
MRS. ABRAM WORDELL, Clerk.
MRS. SUSAN H. BROWNELL.

A true copy. Attest.

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS.

NEWPORT, Sc. SUPREME COURT. COMMON PLEAS DIVISION.

In re petition of the school committee of the town of Little Compton for appointment of commissioners to appraise the school district property.

Upon the petition of the school committee of said town of Little Compton, praying for the appointment of a commission under Chapter 51 of the General Laws, it is ordered that the same be set down for hearing before said Court at Newport, in the County of Newport, on Monday, June 28, A. D. 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M., and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the time and place of hearing thereon be given to all persons interested therein by publishing a copy of said petition, together with a copy of this order, in the Newport Daily News, a newspaper published in the city of Newport, Sunday excepted, for at least six days before said hearing.

Enter as the order of the Court.

WM. W. DOUGLAS, J. S. C.

Entered as the order of Court the 12th day of June A. D. 1897.

CHARLES E. HARVEY, Clerk.

A true copy. Attest.
CHARLES E. HARVEY, Clerk.

—THE—
English Tea and Luncheon Rooms
OPEN FOR THE SEASON.
Breakfast from 7:30 A. M.
Furnished Rooms and Board by Day or Week.
130 & 132 BELLEVUE AVENUE.
From 327 Fifth Avenue, New York.

The Tinkham Tricycle,
The finest and lightest tricycle made.
EDWARD GRIFFITH, Agent. · 158 Thames Street.
STEARNS AND CRESCENT BICYCLES.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, June 16, 8 A. M. For New England—Generally fair tonight and Thursday, preceded this afternoon by showers on the coast; slightly cooler; northwesterly winds.

FOR BOSTON AND VICINITY.

BOSTON, June 16, 8 A. M. For Boston and vicinity—Generally fair to-night and Thursday; slightly cooler; northerly winds.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

The weather continues generally unsettled, partly cloudy to threatening, over the greater portion of the country. Showers and thunder storms occurred yesterday or last night in parts of all districts, except on the Central and Southern Pacific coast. The skies are overcast this morning at many points in the northern and western sections, but with one or two exceptions the weather is fair. At 8 o'clock the temperature at Chicago stood 10 higher than at Vicksburg, Miss., and two degrees warmer than at New Orleans. It is cooler over the northern Lake regions, and in the extreme Northwest.

JOHN W. SMITH,
Local Forecast Official.

LOCAL CONDITIONS.

June 16.	7 h	12 h	14 h
Temperature.	68	76	
Barometer.	29.70	29.67	29.70
Wind.	NW	NW	NW
Weather.	Clear	Clear	Clear

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 16.

Sun rises	4 h 07 m
Sun sets	19 h 23 m
Moon rises	21 h 24 m
Length of day	15 h 16 m
Day's increase	6 h 12 m
High Water	8 h 21 m; 20 h 47 m

THURSDAY, JUNE 17.

Sun rises	4 h 07 m
Sun sets	19 h 23 m
Moon rises	21 h 57 m
Length of day	15 h 16 m
Day's increase	6 h 12 m
High Water	9 h 21 m; 21 h 38 m

FRIDAY, JUNE 18.

Sun rises	4 h 07 m
Sun sets	19 h 24 m
Moon rises	22 h 24 m
Length of day	15 h 17 m
Day's increase	6 h 13 m
High water	10 h 11 m; 22 h 31 m

MOON'S PHASES.

Last Quarter, June 21, 18 h 24 m, M.
New Moon, June 29, 21 h 55 m, W.
First Quarter, July 7, 8 h 32 m E.
Full Moon, July 13, 24 h 32 m, W.

NEW TODAY.

[NO OLD ADVERTISEMENTS LISTED HERE.]

Wanted—Boy; 4th page.
To Let—Catboat; 4th page.
For Sale—Horses; 4th page.
Wanted—Situation; 4th page.
Hoff's Malt Extract; 2d page.
H. L. Dyer—For Sale; 4th page.
Wanted Dressmaking; 4th page.
Wanted—Situation as Cook; 4th page.
Perry Brothers—"Greetings;" 8th page.
English Tea and Lunch Rooms; 4th page.
Wanted—Situation as Waitress; 4th page.
Wanted—Situation as Laundress; 4th page.
Wanted—Situation by Coachman; 4th page.
Wanted—Position as Companion; 4th page.
Wanted—Situation as Chambermaid; 4th page.
J. C. Williams & Co.—Money to Loan; 4th page.
Wanted—Situation to do Chamberwork; 4th page.
Wanted—Situation to do Laundry Work; 4th page.

Changes of advertisements should be sent in the night before, or early on the day of issue to insure insertion.

FOR SALE.

A commodious house of twelve rooms; hot and cold water, bath, etc., with lot of land 100 feet front, at 47 John street.

For one week only premises may be purchased at bargain price.

H. L. DYER,
Corner Bellevue Avenue and Bath Road.

ELECTRIC BELLS,
Burglar Alarms,
Electric Light Wiring,
Gas Fitting,
General Repairs and Alterations.
PHILIP F. CONROY,
181 Thames Street. Telephone.

INSURANCE
—AND—
Real Estate.
HENRY BULL, JR.,
197 Thames Street.

FOR SALE.

The estate No. 42, east side Thames street, being a three-tenement property, each tenement renting at $18 monthly. City water, gas and conveniences.

$4,300.

Further particulars on application.

DENTISTS.

"METHYL."

We guarantee that, no matter whether you have one tooth or thirty extracted, the operation will not pain you in the least. We simply apply "METHYL" to the gums. "METHYL" does not put you to sleep, and it does not leave the mouth sore. Fine Gold Fillings $2 and up. Artificial Teeth, only the best materials used. Every set warranted.

DR M. Y. SIMMONS & CO.,
333 Westminster St., Providence.

ESTABLISHED 1847.

PETER FAERBER,
14 BATH ROAD.
Manufacturer of High Grade
CARBONATED BEVERAGES
—AND—
All Kinds of Mineral Waters.
All goods are manufactured from distilled water. Orders left at Geo. Stanhope's store, 274 Thames street, will also receive prompt attention.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, June 10, Wall Street—The stock market opened irregular, with Atchison at 12¾, Sugar at 123 ex div., General Electric at 38¾, Chicago Gas at 87¼, Burlington at 81, Rock Island at 70, St. Paul at 78¾, Northwestern at 103¾, Louisville at 49¾, Western Union at 82¾, Leather preferred at 65¼, Southern preferred at 28¾, Missouri Pacific at 17¾, and New Jersey Central at 83.

10—The opening of the stock market showed regular variations within a narrow range. Sugar was traded in ex div., and was conspicuous for a rise of ⅞, which, however, was soon lost. The Anthracite coalers showed heaviness, except Lackawanna, which touched 172. The Grangers were irregular on moderate dealings.

11—The announcement of an advance in the price of certain grades of refined sugar checked the liquidation in the stock, and on a brisk demand to cover the price rallied 1¾ per cent, to 126¾. The buoyancy of this specialty imparted firmness to the general list and caused general improvement in values.

Noon—Money on call, nominally at 1 @ ½ per cent; prime mercantile paper, 3 @ 4 per cent; sterling exchange, firmer, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.87 @ ⅛ for demand, and at $4.85¾ @ 86 for sixty days; posted rates, $4.86¼ @ 87, and $4.88; commercial bills, $4.85¾; silver certificates, 60¼ @ ½; bar silver, 60¼; Mexican dollars, 47¼; government bonds, firm; new 4s reg., 125; new 4s, coup., 125¼. Sugar was raided after the first hour of trading, and yielded over a point on the announcement that the treaty for the annexation of Hawaii had been signed by Secretary Sherman and the Hawaiians. Liquidation in a few of the lower-priced specialties also served to create heaviness in the general list.

1—The bears concentrated their efforts against the Coalers after mid-day, and were successful in effecting further noteworthy declines in this group. The sagging trend of the balance of the list was anticipated, with the Grangers during the reaction among the railways.

NEW YORK, June 16.

	Noon.
Atchison	12¾
Canada Southern	49¾
Chicago & Alton	148
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	80¾
C., C., C. & St. Louis	51¼
Cotton Oil Certificates	14
Delaware & Hudson	108¼
Delaware & Lackawanna	162
Erie	14
Erie preferred	32
Erie second	13¾
Illinois Central	97
Kansas & Texas preferred	31
Lake Shore	176¾
Lead Trust	26¾
Louisville & Nashville	49¾
Michigan Central	93¾
Missouri Pacific	15¾
New Jersey Central	82¼
North American	4¾
Northern Pacific	14¾
Northern Pacific First preferred	42¾
Northwestern	104¾
Northwestern preferred	158
New York Central	101
Ontario & Western	14¾
Oregon Navigation	19
Pacific Mail	29¼
Peoria, Decatur & Evansville	17
Reading	21¾
Rock Island	89¾
St. Paul	78¾
St. Paul preferred	130¼
American Sugar Refining	123¼
Texas Pacific	10¾
Union Pacific	21¾
Wabash	5¾
Wabash preferred	16¾
Western Union	83¾
Wheeling & Lake Erie	3
Wheeling & Lake Erie preferred	24
General Electric	38¾
Iowa Central	7¾
St. Paul, M. & Man.	115
Southern Railway	9
Southern Railway preferred	29
Leather	8
Leather preferred	18¾
U. S. Rubber	12¾
U. S. Rubber preferred	61

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

New York, June 15, Friesland, from Antwerp.
New York, June 15, Mobile, from London.
Liverpool, June 15, Celtic, from New York.
Liverpool, June 15, Gallia, from Boston.
Genoa, June 15, Saxonia, from New York.
Passed Sandy Hook, June 15, Michigan, from Liverpool.
Passed the Scilly Islands, June 15, Bohemia, from Hamburg.
Passed the Scilly Islands, June 15, Obdam, from New York.
Passed the Scilly Islands, June 15, Phoenicia, from New York.
Passed the Lizard, June 15, British Trader, from London.
Queenstown, June 10, Servia, from New York.
New York, June 16, Ems, from Bremen.

A. O'D. TAYLOR,
REAL ESTATE AGENT,
141 Bellevue Ave., Newport, R. I.,
Branch Office, Narragansett Avenue, Jamestown, R. I.

Ladies and gentlemen requiring Furnished Summer Cottages will find a full list of many to select from, if they call at Mr. Taylor's office or write to him.

Some at $300 to $500.
A number at $700 to $1,000.
Many at $1,000 to $2,000.
Several at $2,500 to $5,000.

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DIED.

ALDERSON—In Jamestown, 15th inst., Mary R., wife of William Alderson, aged 37 years.
BURDEN—In South Portsmouth, 15th inst., Susan E., wife of William Burden, aged 66 years.
Funeral services at her late residence, East Main road, Friday, 18th inst., at 2 P. M. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.
WOOD—In Providence, 13th inst., suddenly, Richard M. Wood, in the 18th year of his age.
BROWN—In Providence, 15th inst., Thomas L., son of the late William H. and Hannah B. Brown, in the 45th year of his age.
KINSLEY—In Providence, 14th inst., Alvin Kinsley, aged 73 years.
PECKHAM—In East Providence, 15th inst., Cranston P. Peckham, in the 77th year of his age.
SWEET—In Washington, R. I., 13th inst., Rev. Philip Sweet, in the 86th year of his age.
MURPHY—In Fall River, 14th inst., John J. Murphy, aged 48 years.
MANCHESTER—In Fall River, 14th inst., Alice Darlee, daughter of the late John S. and Judith Manchester.
OGDEN—In Fall River, 15th inst., Emily, wife of John Ogden, aged 31 years.

ROBERT C. COTTRELL, Undertaker and Embalmer, 322 & 324 Thames street. Residence, 104 Mill street. Telephone at office and residence.

What Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for others it will also do for you. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures all blood diseases.

Cottage Sites
In all of the best locations.
Plats and prices at office of
SIMEON HAZARD,
BROADWAY, NO. 94.

FOR SALE.

For Sale---Five Good Horses.
The Kane stable, next Pumpelly Cottage, Gibbs avenue.

For Sale at a Bargain,
'97 Ladies' Waverly Bicycle.
Used but little; as good as new. Good reason for selling. Cost $80, will sell for $40. O. K. Poultry Yards, South Portsmouth, R. I.

New England Tiger Pattern Horse Rakes
FOR SALE CHEAP.
A. H. WARD, Honeyman Hill Farm, MIDDLETOWN.

PRINTING AT DAILY NEWS JOB OFFICE.

FOR BISHOP COADJUTOR.

Candidates Likely to be Considered by Next Week's Convention.

[Special despatch to the News.]

PROVIDENCE, June 16.—Next Tuesday, at the adjourned session of the diocesan convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church of Rhode Island, a bishop coadjutor to Bishop Clark will be elected, and a number of names are suggested in connection with the office. Most prominent among them is that of Rev. David H. Greer of St. Bartholomew's Church, New York, and formerly rector of Grace Church, Providence. There is some reason to doubt his willingness to accept the position, in view of his great work and large salary in New York, but the statement has been made that he would regard an election favorably. Another prominent candidate, in the sense of being conspicuously mentioned, is Rev. Charles H. Brent of St. Stephen's Church, Boston. He is a young man, being only thirty-six years old, but has been prominent in the Massachusetts diocese and is especially popular with the young men. Rev. E. H. Porter of Emmanuel Church, Newport, will, it is expected, receive quite a large number of votes. He has been in the diocese, in Pawtucket and Newport, more than thirty years, and is well known and popular. Rev. William M. Groton of Westerly is another man in the diocese whose name is heard frequently in connection with the position, though he is less well known than Mr. Porter. The choice among these and other possible candidates is very uncertain, and unless conditions are changed can be determined only by the ballot.

Commencement at the State Agricultural College.

[Special despatch to the News.]

PROVIDENCE, June 16.—The fourth annual commencement of the Rhode Island College of Agriculture and Mechanical Arts was held at Kingston yesterday. Governor Dyer and members of his staff, Congressman Melville Bull and other state officials and members of the legislature were present, the governor being received by a salute. A battalion drill was given and literary exercises were held, after which degrees were given to the graduating class and diplomas were awarded by Governor Dyer. Among the degrees awarded was that of bachelor of science, to Arthur Franklin Grinnell of Middletown, in the department of mechanics.

Claims an Estate in Lonsdale.

PAWTUCKET, June 16.—A special to the Times from Lonsdale says: The villagers of Lonsdale are much interested in a mysterious stranger who appeared in the village last Sunday, and who claimed that he had a title to property formerly owned by the Jeremiah Whipple estate, but which is now owned by about fifteen persons or estates, and is worth $50,000. The Primitive Methodist Church is located on this property. The claimant is said to be a wine merchant of California, and he asserts that the property was given to his father early in the century by the Whipples in return for services.

Turkish Troops Posting Guns.

LAMIA, Thessaly, June 16.—The Turkish troops are posting guns on the Othrys heights, concealing them beneath branches of trees. They have also placed a number in the burned convent of Anaselitia, and Turkish scouts have been seen during the night-time on the neutral ground between the two armies. This activity on the part of the Turks has created distrust among the Greeks.

Bell Telephone Dividend.

BOSTON, June 16.—The American Bell Telephone Company has declared a dividend of $3 regular and $1.50 extra, payable July 15. The books will be closed from June 15 to July 1.

Rochester Team to be Arraigned for Sunday Ball Playing.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 16.—The owners and members of the Rochester base ball club will be arraigned in the county court tomorrow on a charge of Sabbath breaking, for playing base ball on Sundays, May 16, 23 and 30.

Dead in His Stateroom on Steamer Massachusetts.

PROVIDENCE, June 16.—William Mueller, sixty-three years of age, of 26 East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, New York, was found dead in his stateroom this morning, on the arrival of steamer Massachusetts from New York. Medical Examiner Palmer decided that death was due to natural causes. Mr. Mueller was intending to spend the summer with his son, Professor Herman Mueller, of the Providence high school.

Prize Fighting Must Be Stopped in New York.

NEW YORK, June 16.—The police commissioners at their meeting today took up the question of prize fighting, and unanimously decided that the so-called boxing contests in this city should be stopped.

Secretary Long Nearing Boston.

HIGHLAND LIGHT, Mass., June 16.—United States dispatch boat Dolphin, on board of which Secretary of the Navy Long and party are proceeding to Boston, passed this point at 11:30 this forenoon.

POST-GRADUATE CADETS AT ANNAPOLIS.

It has been concluded to establish a post-graduate course at the Naval Academy for cadets intended for assignment to the corps of naval instructors. Orders have been issued to Assistant Naval Constructor Hobson to report to the Naval Academy for duty in connection with the proposed additional course of study. Cadets Duffose and Eggert, who stood one and two in this year's graduating class, will probably be ordered to report to him for the proposed new course, which is to cover a term of two years, at the expiration of which the successful members of the class will be appointed assistant naval constructors. The cadets now studying naval architecture at foreign institutions have been ordered home, and will be commissioned at once as assistant naval constructors, as that corps is short-handed at present.

JAMESTOWN.

[Regular correspondence of the News]

Dr. E. H. Barbour, who has been for several years a practicing physician in New York, has purchased the practice of Dr. L. F. Wood of Westerly. Dr. Barbour is brother of Mr. William A. Barbour of this town, and spent a portion of his early life in Jamestown.

The stopping up of the sluice at the bridge on North road has caused an increased flow of water through the remaining sluice as the tide rises and falls, thereby bringing an additional strain upon the main that crosses at that point; in consequence the main is broken. The water works men are repairing the break today. In the meantime the town is supplied from the lower reservoir.

There are just one half the number of guests registered at the hotels now as in the middle of June last year.

Mr. James Hopkins's sloop yacht Yvette is at her moorings in Jamestown harbor.

The clubhouse of the Conanicut Yacht Club is open for the season.

Mr. Daniel Watson has rented the cottage on Bryer avenue belonging to Captain J. J. Lee to Colonel A. Laurence Wetherell for the balance of the season.

WEENAT SHASSIT TRIBE'S GOAT.

About forty members of King Philip Tribe, No. 1, of Red Men, of Providence, took a special car to Roger Williams Park last evening and performed a ceremony which was rather unique, being nothing less than that of decorating with a past sachem's jewel the big black goat which was presented to Roger Williams Park by King Philip Tribe May 1.

The party arrived at the park at 8 o'clock, and headed by the King Philip orchestra marched to the upper room of the old boathouse, where the goat was waiting on the veranda. Every head was bared while the formidable animal was led into the room, and Sachem George H. Bucklin, with a few well-chosen words, placed a collar on him on which was inscribed the word "Weenat-Shassit," with the past sachem's jewel attached. He then presented the key of the collar to Park Superintendent J. H. Pitts, appointing him custodian of the sacred goat. Incidentally the ceremony was a christening, for he who was formerly only "Billie" will hereafter be known as "Weenat-Shassit," past sachem of King Philip Tribe.

This goat is the gift of Weenat Shassit tribe of Newport to King Philip tribe of Providence, the presentation being made by Grand Sachem James H. Barney on the occasion of the former tribe's visit to the latter, March 21 last.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Mr. George Wheatland of Boston is visiting Mr. T. F. Cushing.

—The board of aldermen will hold a special meeting tomorrow noon.

—Mr. David R. Rough of New York is at the Defossez cottage for the summer.

—Mr. John W. Rourke of New York is at The New Cliffs Hotel for the summer.

—Mrs. Fell of Philadelphia has presented Captain Tom Shay with a set of colors for his new steam launch.

—Fishing steamers Beatrice and A. T. Servell are hauled out on Crowley's ways.

—There will be a German service in the guild house on Poplar street tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock.

—A small boy was run over by a bicyclist, and somewhat severely bruised, on lower Thames street this morning.

—The Naval Reserves have hauled out their boats from winter quarters for the usual spring cleaning and painting.

—The damage to fishing schooner W. B. Keene by the collision with the Navahoe Sunday has been repaired at Crowley's.

—Mr. Charles W. C. Siebrecht and Mr. Frederick W. Smythe of New York are at the Carey cottage on Spring street, for the season.

—Trinity Commandery, Knights Templar, of Manchester, N. H., will visit Newport Thursday and Friday of next week, having quarters at the Ocean House.

—Mr. Franklin A. Plummer gave a luncheon at Gunther's this afternoon his guests being Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Kemp, Mr. H. F. Eldridge and Miss Davies.

—Auxiliary steam yacht Wild Duck, Mr. J. M. Forbes, has arrived from the eastward, and schooner Elsemarie, Mr. King, from Wickford, arrived this afternoon.

—Training ship Alliance was expected to leave the Brooklyn navy yard today, and will come at once to Newport to receive her draft of apprentices for the summer cruise.

—The 10 a. m. trip of steamer General from Newport connects with a parlor car at Wickford landing, and the 1 p. m. train from New York for Newport has a parlor car to the same place.

—Commander H. A. Converse has been directed to delay in reporting for the command of the Montgomery till July 16, in order that he may participate in the preliminary trial of torpedo boat Dupont.

—Thomas O'Connell and wife and John J. Shea and wife have sold to Herbert L. Dyer, trustee, a portion of the two adjoining estates on Burnside avenue owned by the two parties, and containing a dwelling house, to sell for the benefit of both.

—Count de Beyreint of Paris is at The Aquidneck. Other arrivals include Miss Laura Massey and Mrs. John Perry and house include Mrs. John Massey Perry and family of Kansas City, W. B. Wolfe of Boston, A. A. Carpenter and W. C. Hunton of Providence, and H. T. Marriott, C. G. Parker and Oscar Abell of New York.

—The following are registered at the Casino: W. E. D. Stokes, Lieutenant A. Gleaves, U. S. N.; H. M. Brooks, Reginald Brooks, William Struthers, H. P. Rogers, Calvin T. Adams, D. E. Aultman, Berkeley Updike, H. Tilden Swan, Commander Thomas Perry, U. S. N.; George Crocker, Commander John McGowan, U. S. N.; Lieutenant John B. Bernadou, U. S. N., and Buchanan Winthrop.

A STATE BOUNDARY LINE DETERMINED.

The old controversy between Indiana and Kentucky as to the ownership of Green River Island in the Ohio river, a few miles from the city of Evansville, has been finally settled. Governor Mount has received from the clerk of the Supreme Court of the United States notice that the commissioners representing the two states have run the boundary line as directed by the court, set the stones and have been discharged. The controversy over this island has been before every Indiana governor in some shape since the state was admitted to the Union in 1816. On several occasions the two states were almost ready to go to war over the tract of land in the middle of the river. The original survey simply fixed the river as the boundary line between the two states, and did not take into consideration this fertile island of several hundred acres. The tract came, after a time, to be known as neutral territory, and as such it was a refuge for men of notorious character. Criminals found it a convenient place to stay, as neither state attempted to exercise police surveillance over it or endeavored to serve writs there.

A few years ago the citizens of Evansville and the people near by in the state of Kentucky began insisting that the ownership of the island ought to be determined. Four years ago Governor Matthews took up the subject, and at his suggestion three commissioners, one representing Indiana, one Kentucky and one the inhabitants of the island, were appointed to fix a boundary line. Being unable to come to an amicable understanding, the commission submitted the controversy to the Supreme Court of the United States, which designated the boundary line and directed the commissioners to set the stones.

Under the decision most of the island goes to the state of Kentucky. The line, the commissioners report, is marked by three monuments of stone and sixteen posts of iron. One stone monument is placed at the eastern extremity of the island, another at the western extremity and the third at the midway point. On the north side of each stone is the word "Indiana" and on the south side the word "Kentucky." The commissioners say in their report that these stones were placed to stay. For each of them an excavation six feet square and four feet deep was made, in the bottom of which one foot in thickness of concrete was placed and well rammed. On this the stone was placed on end and filled around with concrete, well rammed to the surface of the ground, leaving three feet of the stone above ground. The iron posts are at the sixteen intermediate angles. The word "Indiana" on one side and "Kentucky" on the other were cast in raised letters. The commissioners report that the total cost to the state of settling this great controversy was $1,122.—[Chicago Record.

NAVAL ARMAMENTS.

When the vessels of the different naval powers are assembled to take part in the queen's jubilee it will be possible to obtain a fairly clear idea of the value of the various types of warships and the progress that has been made in comparatively few years. It is only about thirty-seven years since the first armor plates were made for an English ironclad, and it was in 1861 that the iron warship Warrior was built. Take the old "wooden wall" ship Grampus of the British navy, which was sold the other day, as a demonstration of the growth of naval science. When she was launched, in 1784, she was armed the Tremendous, a vessel of 1,680 tons, which cost about $120 a ton; while, on the other hand, the Salamander, a gunboat recently finished, cost about $212 a ton. And the progress of development of war weapons on the sea shows no abatement, either in massiveness of hulls, fine proportions, graceful lines or number. It would seem that each nation is straining itself to keep pace with the others. A well-known German authority in a recent issue of the "Marine Rundschau" has figured out a careful estimate of the fighting values of the various fleets, placing them in this order: England, France, Russia, United States, Germany, Italy, Japan. The value in units (number of vessels) is given thus: England, 1,001; France, 860; Russia, 280; United States, 195; Japan, 189; Italy, 159; Germany, 179; Spain, 101; Austria, 64.

MARK TWAIN AS A REPORTER.

Mr. Clemens's first pen name, when he commenced to write for Joe Goodman's Territorial Enterprise, in Virginia City, Nev., about 1863, as correspondent from Esmeralda district, where he mined for a living, was "Josh." The fun and humor that bubbled up in his letters tickled the Washoeites and made the paper sought after. They sent for him, and he came, gladly relinquishing the pick and shovel, the windlass and the bucket, for the journalist's pen. Mr. Clemens came to Virginia City dressed in the usual garb of a miner, well worn at that, and demeaned himself with all a miner's freedom. He had, also, in a greater degree than subsequently, the exceptional drawl in his speech, which he chose to consider one factor in the sum of his distinctive individuality. He took readily to reporting the varying fortunes of the mining community and strengthened the writing force on the Enterprise materially, while, at the same time, availing himself of legitimate opportunities to acquire "feet" in the Comstock and shares in different outlying mines. He was accounted rich in his kind of property at one time. With liberal remuneration for his work, his personal appearance rapidly improved, and he grew to be a swell in a mild way, besides cleaner in speech as well as in dress.

Becoming dissatisfied with his pen name "Josh," he changed it to "Mark Twain," by which, at the present day, he is known in the literature of the world.

About 1861 Mr. Clemens came to San Francisco. It cannot be said he made many friends in Nevada. There were some who affected his company on account of his writings, but he had not the faculty of winning friendship. Before he arrived in the city he had accumulated, as before stated, a good deal of money, every sliver of which he sunk with Hale and Norcross. Then he took up the burden of literary life again. He wrote San Francisco letters to his old paper, the Territorial Enterprise, and for some real or fancied cause attacked the local police so persistently and fiercely that Martin G. Burke, who was chief of the force at the time, brought a suit for libel against the paper. Such envenomed communications as Mr. Clemens wrote on this subject have rarely been penned. They made the official equanimity of the old city hall boil like a caldron of asphaltum, the fume and stench being in proportion. He also contributed for Charley Webb ("Iniigo") to the Californian, for the Golden Era, and did all sorts of literary work whereby he could turn a cent. It was a terrible uphill business, and a less determined man than himself would have abandoned the struggle and remained at the base. Mr. Clemens was at Steamboat Springs, Nev., for his health, when the letter was written offering him a place on the Call. He came down shortly after, but, judging from his appearance, fortune had been playing scurvy tricks with him in the interim. Without doing the gentleman any injustice, it can be freely stated that, although at the time a good general writer and correspondent, he made but an indifferent reporter. He only played at itemizing.

Considering his experience in the mountains, he had an inexplicable aversion to walking, and in putting his material on paper he was, to use his own expression, "slower than the wrath to come." Many funny and characteristic incidents occurred during his few months' stay on the Call. He only wanted to remain long enough, he said, when he engaged to go to work, to make "a stake," but, on leaving, his purse was no heavier than when he came. The most notable thing he did that can now be recalled was a philippic against some undertaking employes where the morgue happened to be, for the deadhouse, in those days, like the country school mistress and the villagers, was "boarded round," each undertaker accommodating the coroner in turn. It appears some one about the place refused to give Mr. Clemens information or to let him see "the state," and next morning he got such a dose, commencing "these body snatchers," that a general apology was immediately made by every man in the establishment. The proprietor was East at the time, but when he read the article he shivered, as he confessed afterward, and considered his business ruined. Mr. Clemens parted from the Call people on the most friendly terms, when it was found necessary to make the local department more efficient, admitting his reportorial shortcomings and expressing surprise that they were not sooner discovered.—[San Francisco Call.

A HORSELESS WAGON IN 1861.

It may be interesting to know that one of the earliest successful self-propelling carriages made in this country was owned and used in Newark in 1861 or 1862. Mr. Joseph E. Ralph of the Atlantic Highlands remembers this carriage, and, in fact, during the years mentioned he says he was permitted to run it up and down Orchard street a number of times, although he was only a lad at the time. The carriage belonged to the late Joseph Battin, well known as a hydraulic engineer. He built the waterworks in Elizabeth, N. J., and much of the stock of the company there belonged to him when he died. He lived in Broad street and his property ran through to Orchard street. His stable faced Orchard street, and Mr. Ralph's family lived upon that street, about a block away. Mr. Ralph says that at this time Mr. Battin had got rid of the horses which he had been accustomed to use, and had replaced them with a carriage driven by steam. This was what might be called a light wagon, although it was of necessity much heavier than a light wagon. It had two seats, and the engineer, who always went out with the machine, occupied the rear seat. The front seat was for the owner, and he did the steering with a round hand wheel in front, something like the grip wheel on a Broadway cable car. The wheel had below it a cogwheel, and this engaged with a toothed half circle segment that was bolted to the fifth wheel of the front axle.

Mr. Ralph says he remembers the steering gear very well, because it took several turns of the steering wheel to bring the wheels around enough to turn a sharp corner, and it required lively work to get the wheels back again in line quickly enough to straighten the course of the carriage before it ran up on the sidewalk. This peculiarity was apt to make a new hand at steering the carriage lose his head.

On the other hand, he remembers very little of the driving engine and gear. The engineer attended to these, and it was through a boyish acquaintance with the engineer that he was permitted at times to mount the driving seat and steer. That Mr. Battin got a great deal of service out of the carriage Mr. Ralph is certain. Mr. Battin went out in it often, and frequently stayed away with it for several days. At these times it was understood by the neighbors that he was engaged up in the hills or about Elizabeth in superintending work on the waterworks or dams that he was building. If this was true, and the wagon was capable of traveling over the sticky roads which that country had in bad weather in those days, the carriage must have been unusually strong and useful.—[New York Sun.

RUSSIA'S GROWTH.

Many years may elapse before Russia can become a leading manufacturing country, but her growth toward industrialism has recently been shown to a remarkable manner at the "All Russian" exhibition in Nijni Novgorod. Besides her extensive sulphuric acid industry, Russia is opening up important manufactures of chromate salts, vitriol, phosphates, lead, zinc, tin, strontium and copper salts and mineral dyes, and platinum is almost a Russian monopoly. In medicinal plant growing the progress in Russia is very great. Six castor oil factories, all working from native-grown seed, were represented at the exhibition, and oils of peppermint, wormwood, caraway, fennel, anise and pine needles were also shown. The output of Russian benzine has grown from 31,500 gallons in 1882 to nearly 1,500,000 gallons in 1894. The petroleum industry is the second largest in the world. Joo Bros. alone owns 188 miles of petroleum pipe lines. It has an enormous fleet, and runs 1,157 tank wagons for the conveyance of its product by rail.

The industry of the dry distillation of wood in Russia is only just beginning. In northern Russia, away from the railways, there are still many thousands of square miles under wood, yet up to the present only one-half per cent of all the resin and but a slightly larger portion of the turpentine used in Russia has been of home manufacture.

New discoveries of rocks dangerous to navigation show no signs of diminishing, not less than 200 rocks and shoals not before known having been reported to the British hydrographer in 1896.

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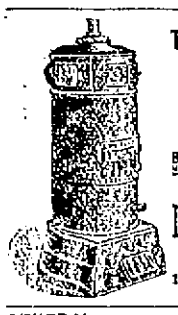

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GARY OMITTED.

Judge at the Anarchist Trials Not Assigned to the Appellate Bench.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., June 16.—An unusual incident has occurred in the supreme court. When the appellate judges were assigned, Judge Gary, famous for having presided at the anarchist trials, was not among them. Justice Magruder protested in the following strong language: "The distinguished services of Mr. Justice Gary for nearly thirty-four years deserved a more fitting recognition. Wherever modern civilization has extended its light and its blessings, his name stands as synonym for law and order. With his life in hand, he has stayed and suppressed the onsets of lawlessness and disorder, and I enter my solemn protest against the slight thus put upon this just and fearless judge."

Chief Justice Phillips in his reply said: "With the fullest recognition of these qualities, the majority of this court reserves to itself the right, and will discharge the duty, of selecting other judges for that place, equally learned, industrious and able, who can and will, with equal earnestness and as high sense of justice, discharge their duties."

JAMAICA TO RETALIATE.

Import Duties to Be Increased in Anticipation of the New Tariff Bill.

WASHINGTON, June 16.—In anticipation of the passage of the pending tariff bill by Congress, the legislative council of Jamaica has taken up a bill on account and according to the view of Agent Walter at Port Antonio duties on articles imported from the United States are to be largely increased, with the expectation that later a reciprocity treaty may be negotiated. The duties remitted under the old reciprocity treaty of 1890 were not restored after that treaty was destroyed through the United States tariff act of 1894, and it is now believed that the duties will be restored to at least what they were before that treaty went into effect.

Kansas Populists to Claim a Part of Kansas City, Mo.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 16.—It is said that the present Populist administration of Kansas is about to make a fight to obtain possession of a half-mile slice of the most valuable property now belonging to the city of Kansas City. The claim is based on an assertion that Kansas territory has been encroached upon to this extent since Missouri was laid out as a state in 1820.

Inquiry Into the Death of Hoffman Begun.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 16.—The official inquiry into the cause of the mysterious death of Isaac Hoffman, who was found dead in his office on Battery street June 1, has been commenced before Coroner Hawkins. Chief of Police Lees minutely described the wounds; the condition in which the body was found, and every other detail connected with the tragedy as known to the police.

Called to a Danvers Church.

DANVERS, Mass., June 16.—The First Congregational Church here has extended a call to Rev. Henry C. Adams of Turners Falls, Mass., to become its pastor.

Going Over the Text of the Treaty.

WASHINGTON, June 16.—The three Hawaiian commissioners, Secretary Sherman and Assistant Secretaries Day and Cridler, assembled in conference in the diplomatic room of the State Department at 9 o'clock this morning and began a careful comparison of the text of the Hawaiian treaty.

Sale of the Kansas Central Postponed.

LEAVENWORTH, Kas., June 16.—The sale of the Kansas Central railroad and rolling stock, which was advertised to take place here at noon today, has been postponed by Master in Chancery Dillon of Topeka until June 25.

TO ENTERTAIN VISITING SIR KNIGHTS.

Washington Commandery, No. 4, Knights Templar, will meet this evening at its asylum on Church street, to receive Eminent Grand Captain General Herbert F. Morse and his suite, who will make the annual inspection of the commandery. The Newport Sir Knights will have as special guests on this occasion Sutton Commandery of New Bedford, which entertained Washington Commandery in the Whaling City last fall. The visitors will arrive late in the afternoon, and will be met at the depot by the Newporters and escorted to the asylum, where refreshments will be served. At 8:15 the two commanderies will form to escort the grand officers to the asylum, where the formal inspection will take place. A banquet will follow.

Thursday morning the Newport Sir Knights and their guests will start at 9:30 o'clock for a drive around Ocean avenue and other points of interest, returning to The Aquidneck, where a dinner will be served at 3 o'clock. The visitors will start for home on the 5 o'clock train Thursday afternoon.

The committee of Washington Commandery in charge of the entertainment of the visitors consists of Past Eminent Commander Joseph W. Sampson, chairman, and Sir Knights Sidney R. Gladding, H. Battey Congdon, William S. Lawton, Edward G. Hayward and Arthur H. Commerford.

EASTERLY WINDS.

Since March 20, the day when the sun crossed the line, a record has been kept at the Central police station at New Bedford of the days when the wind has been easterly. Up to yesterday, the eighty-fifth day since the equinox, the wind had blown from an easterly point forty-nine days.

Were a similar record kept in this city, the result would be nearly the same. Old mariners say the prevalence of easterly and cold winds sustains the old saying that the wind on March 20 predicted the prevailing winds for the year.

The scheme of covering the Sahara with forests is pronounced by M. P. Privat-Deschenel utterly impracticable, the arid plateaus being a hopeless desert. On a limited scale, however, the valleys, most of which are favored with a small amount of water, may be successfully planted with tamarisk, acacia, eucalyptus and poplar, the last-named tree having unexpectedly proven the most suitable. In the forest shelter, vegetables and fruit trees may be grown.

A NAVAL WORKSHOP.

History, Development and Work of the Torpedo Station.

The retirement of Commander George A. Converse, U. S. N., from the command of the Torpedo Station marks an era in its history, and his successor, Lieutenant Commander Thomas C. McLean, finds it better equipped than ever before for the carrying on of its work.

The Torpedo Station is located on Goat Island, a narrow strip of land extending opposite to and along the entire water front of Newport, and dividing the inner from the outer harbor. Its importance as a means of defense to the town was recognized in early colonial days; and since 1792, and until it was occupied as a torpedo station, it contained a fort which at times was fully garrisoned. The island was purchased of the Indians in 1657 by Benedict Arnold (later governor of the colony), and in 1702 the colony ordered a fort to be erected there. This fort was called Fort Anne, and was mounted with twelve guns. In 1706 it was fully garrisoned, and so continued until 1714, when the garrison was withdrawn.

In 1727, when George II came to the throne in England, an address was sent to the king announcing that "a regular and beautiful fortification of stone," with a battery fitted for mounting fifty guns, had taken the place of the old fort, and that the new works had been given the name of Fort George. The fortification was maintained until 1774, when the General Assembly ordered all the cannon and ammunition, except three guns in the fort, taken to Providence. When news was received of the battle of Lexington these three guns were removed, but in April, 1776, the fort, as far as possible, was again put in working order, to act in concert with the earthworks at what is now Fort Greene, and at Brenton's point. During the war of the Revolution it was known by the Americans as Fort Liberty, but when the city was occupied by the British it was called by them Fort George.

In 1781, after the war, the cannon, which had been dismounted by the British, were remounted, and the works on the island were called Fort Washington. This name it retained until the close of the century, when it was called Fort Wolcott, in honor of the revolutionary services of Governor Oliver Wolcott.

A portion of the island had been before this ceded to the United States, and in 1798 a committee of the town, "Taking into consideration the various and important advantages which would result to the town by its being strongly fortified and rendered capable of defense from a powerful navy and land force, beg leave to report that, in our opinion, to facilitate every means of defense which the general government might deem advisable would be greatly to the interest of the town; and to make sale of Goat island at this juncture to the United States would be highly important and beneficial; and we are of the opinion that if the town of Newport could obtain from the United States $1,500 for the remaining part of the island (which by a late survey is about ten acres) and reserve the right to the seaweed, sand and gravel, it would be a fair and equitable price for the property." The report was signed by Christopher Champlin, Samuel Vernon, Jr., Moses Seixas, Daniel Lyman, Christopher Fowler and John L. Boss, and the town voted to deed the island in conformity with the report.

In October, 1799, a garrison of artillery and engineers was ordered to the fort, and during the war of 1812 the garrison was kept up to a proper standard, being maintained until the breaking out of the Seminole war. At the time of the civil war, while the United States Naval Academy was located at Newport, the island was used as a practice ground. Temporary buildings were put up for recitation rooms, and the frigate Constitution, used as a practice ship, was at the wharf, the Santee being anchored a short distance away.

The breakwater and lighthouse at the north end of the island were constructed in 1830.

Inception of the Torpedo School.

Shortly after the civil war Admiral Porter conceived the idea of establishing a torpedo school, where the officers of the navy could be instructed in the manufacture and use of torpedoes. In this he was seconded by Rear Admiral Case, then chief of the bureau of ordnance. Commander E. O. Matthews, who within a short time will be promoted to rear admiral, was selected to found the proposed institution, and was ordered June 9, 1869, to the bureau of navigation as instructor of the torpedo corps. During the following summer he was directed to select a suitable place for headquarters, and it was finally determined to establish the station at Goat island, which needed only to be transferred from the War to the Navy Department.

In the following September Commander Matthews took possession, and commenced the construction of the necessary buildings. The old frame building which had been used by the Naval Academy was converted for the time being into a machine shop, and the old barracks, now the commandant's quarters, were fitted for offices and a temporary manufacturing laboratory. In the following spring tug Nina was ordered to the station for general use, several additional officers had been ordered here for duty, a chemist employed, and during the summer the manufacture of nitro-glycerine was commenced. In 1871 and 1872 four small cottages were built for the use of the officers, the commandant having quarters fitted up for him in the old barracks building; and in the latter year the machine shop was started, being finished the following spring. In 1872 the late Moses G. Farmer was secured as electrician and instructor in electricity. The first class for instruction was ordered to the station November 1, 1870, remaining until the next April, and classes were ordered to the station each succeeding year.

Commander Matthews was relieved of the command July 1, 1872, by Captain Edward Simpson. During the summer of 1874 the electrical laboratory was built, and at this time a change was made in the time for which the classes were ordered to duty at the station, the classes thereafter reporting in July and remaining here only four months.

Captain Simpson was succeeded in June, 1875, by Captain K. R. Breese, and he in 1878 by Captain F. M. Ramsay, recently retired from active service in the navy as a rear admiral. Captain Ramsay was followed in 1881 by Captain T. O. Selfridge, now a rear admiral in command of the European station, who was in charge four years and was succeeded by Commander W. T. Sampson, until recently chief of the bureau of ordnance. In 1886 Commander Caspar F. Goodrich, now president of the Naval War College, took command, served three years and was succeeded by Commander Theodore F. Jewell. The latter served four years, and was succeeded in 1893 by Commander G. A. Converse, who has also served four years. Among the other officers attached to the station have been the brightest in the navy, many of them specialists in the various branches, and who, since their stay in Newport, have been assigned to the most important duties.

Development of the Work.

The character of the work at the station has changed materially as it has developed. The original intention was to have merely a school in torpedo work for the officers of the navy; it has become one of the most important adjuncts of the navy, but not entirely in the line laid out by its founders. It is now no longer merely a school for the instruction in the manufacture and handling of torpedoes, but a place where the most intricate problems in naval warfare, except in seamanship, are solved, and where the advantages or disadvantages of theories and inventions are developed. Until within two years classes of officers were ordered here every summer to learn the rudiments of torpedo work, the construction, fitting and discharging of torpedoes, the manufacture and use of gun-cotton and other high explosives, and other special lines of work. Many of these officers returned later for further study, and a few became in turn instructors. In 1894 the last officers' class was sent to the island, and now the only instruction is for the seamen gunners. These young men, selected mostly from the naval apprentices, on account of their special aptitude for the work, are first given a six months' course in ordnance at the gun foundry in Washington, and then come to the Torpedo Station, from fifteen to thirty at a time, for instruction in diving, torpedo assembling, electrical, torpedo and searchlight work, in preparation for service on shipboard in the care of the complicated modern guns, searchlights and electrical machinery.

At the station many of the American-invented automobile torpedoes have been developed and put on trial, and the most successful have proven their advantages at the hands of the station officers. The use of the spar torpedo was also developed here, and finally discarded as unserviceable in modern warfare. The manufacture of gun-cotton for torpedo service and for use in the construction of the smokeless powder has been developed, and is now one of the most important branches of the work at the station. Many mechanical and electrical devices acknowledged to be invaluable on modern warships were invented by officers located at the station, and were thoroughly tested here. The navy small arms now being supplied to the ships and stations were tried under the direction of the torpedo corps, the data for their trials having been prepared here.

Much of the recent development of the station has been due to Commander Converse's thorough knowledge of torpedo work, his executive ability and his diplomacy in securing what he wanted for the carrying out of his plans. The building up of the excellent plant is due to his labors. When he took command much of the work now done here was done elsewhere. Torpedoes were being shipped here to the various vessels, and fitted on shipboard at the different naval stations; now the work has increased to such an extent that all the material in the rough is prepared here and the finished article is placed on the ship in much less time, and in better condition, than ever before. Some time ago the machine work on electric primers, used in discharging torpedoes, was done in Washington, the filling only being done here. But by Commander Converse's recommendation the entire work—the making

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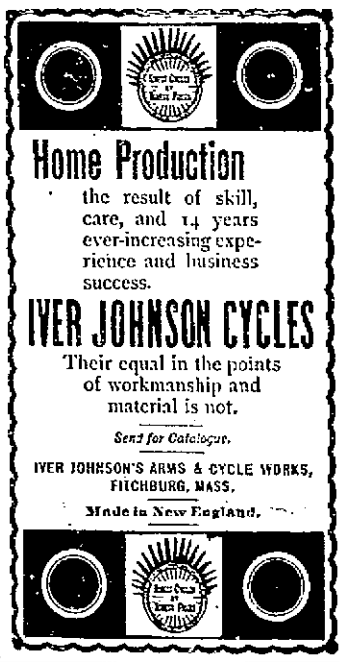

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At Brockton—Brockton, 8; Newport, 3.
At Pawtucket—Fall River, 7; Pawtucket, 2.
At New Bedford—Taunton, 8; New Bedford, 4.

New England League Standing.

	Won.	Lost.	Tied.	Percent.
Brockton	23	11	1	.676
Newport	23	12	1	.657
Pawtucket	17	16	2	.511
New Bedford	17	18	0	.486
Fall River	12	21	0	.364
Taunton	11	23	0	.324

Today's Games.

Fall River at Newport, Brockton at New Bedford, Pawtucket at Taunton.

Brockton, 8; Newport, 3.

The leadership in the league race, which Newport has held for nearly a month, passed to Brockton yesterday, and in one inning at that. Gallagher and Moynahan were the opposing pitchers, and both kept the hits well scattered, except in the fatal seventh, when Brockton secured half its hits, and aided by bases on balls and errors piled up seven runs, winning the game. With the exception of Cavanaugh, who had an off day, Moynahan received excellent support, and as the Newports seemed to have used up all their base hits in Pawtucket they had to depend on errors to score. Gallagher evidently had not the best of control at times; neither was the team in its best shape, and it played a sort of listless game, and except for Gallagher's efforts seemed to have lost the game before it was started. The score shows the story up to the seventh, when Gallagher gave three bases on balls and Brockton made four hits, two of them doubles. To these Newport added enough errors to make the measure good, and Brockton had won. The score follows:

BROCKTON.

	A.B.	R.	I.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Nadeau, l. f.	4	1	0	2	0	1
Shrckard, r. f.	5	0	1	1	0	1
Henry, c. f.	4	1	1	2	0	1
Kelly, 1b.	5	1	1	9	0	1
Goelnaur, 2b.	3	0	0	3	5	0
Shea, c.	4	1	1	5	1	0
Cavanaugh, s. s.	4	1	2	1	2	1
Magoon, 3b.	3	2	2	4	3	1
Moynahan, p.	3	1	0	0	2	1
	35	8	8	27	13	4

NEWPORT.

	A.B.	R.	I.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Gilbert, c. f.	5	0	1	5	0	1
Grant, s. s.	5	0	1	2	3	1
Kelley, 1b.	4	1	2	7	0	1
Pickett, l. f.	4	0	1	5	0	0
Hawley, r. f.	4	0	1	2	0	1
Crisham, c.	4	1	0	2	2	2
Mills, 2b.	3	0	1	3	1	1
Dinsmore, 3b.	4	0	1	0	1	1
Gallagher, p.	4	1	1	1	4	1
	37	3	9	27	11	7

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Brockton	0	0	0	0	1	0	7	0	0—8
Newport	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0—3

Sacrifice hits—Cavanaugh, Moynahan, Mills. Two-base hits—Kelly, Magoon. Double play—Shea-Kelly. Left on bases—Brockton, 9; Newport, 5. First base on balls—Nadeau, Henry, Goelnaur, 2, Shea, Magoon, Moynahan, Strickland, Mills, Dinsmore. Hit by pitched ball—Magoon. Stolen bases—Kelley, Strickland. Wild pitche—Moynahan. Umpire—Connolly. Time—2h.

Fall River, 7; Pawtucket, 2.

Fall River had yesterday's game with Pawtucket won hands down after the third inning, when McCafferty gave a base on balls, was hit hard and received poor support. In the second inning the story was about the same, but after the third the game was one worth watching. Connor led in the hitting for the Fall River team, and Stouch and Moss were the leaders for the Pawtuckets. Attendance, 500.

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Fall River	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	x	—7
Pawtucket	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—2

Hits—Fall River, 9; Pawtucket, 7. Errors—Fall River, 3; Pawtucket, 2. Earned runs—Fall River, 1; Pawtucket, 2. Two-base hit—Connor. Home runs—Kelley, Moss. Stolen bases—Reilly, Conroy, Beaumont. Double play—Reilly-Smith. Sacrifice hit—Coughlin. Left on bases—Fall River, 5; Pawtucket, 6. First base on balls—Off Gerry—Weistecker, Coughlin, Buelow; off McCafferty—Connor. First base on errors—Fall River, 1; Pawtucket, 1. Struck out—By McCafferty—Reilly, Standish. Umpire—Brackenridge. Time—1h. 25m.

Taunton, 8; New Bedford, 4.

The Taunton team batted Flanagan hard yesterday afternoon, and assisted by New Bedford's errors won easily. Sexton reported for the game and played left field for New Bedfords. Ellis, Hernon and Burke made home runs. Johnson, a new man, played a good right field for Taunton. Attendance, 350.

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Taunton	1	0	2	0	2	0	0	3	x	—8
New Bedford	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	—4

Hits—Taunton, 11; New Bedford, 8. Errors—Taunton, 1; New Bedford, 6. Earned runs—Taunton, 3; New Bedford, 3. Home runs—Hernon, Ellis, Burke. Two-base hits—Murphy, Simon, Stanhope. Sacrifice hit—Delaney. Stolen bases—Moore, Fitzmaurice. First base on balls—By Flanagan—Harrington 2, Johnson 2, Delaney; by McDougal—Davis, Ellis. First base on errors—Taunton, 3; New Bedford, 1. Passed ball—Murphy. Struck out—By McDougal—Hernon, Long, Sexton, Cronihan, Murphy, Flanagan; by Flanagan—Fitzmaurice, Burke, McDougal 2. Double plays—Hall-Cronihan. Cronihan-Ellis-Murphy. Flanagan-Hernon-Davis. Long-Murphy. Umpire—Hunt. Time—1h. 55m.

Notes.

The team is said to be billed for two games tomorrow, in the morning against the South Bostons, with Lewis of the Bostons pitching, and in the afternoon against the Newton Athletics with Dowd in the box. These two games will give the boys a chance to drop their batting averages a trifle.

Putting Hawley in right in place of Stephenson is poor judgment.

The last time Gallagher and Moynahan faced each other, at Fall River, Newport, though outhatted, won.

A nice head-line, reading "We Lead, Let Others Follow," had been prepared for this base ball column after much brain work. But when the report of that seventh inning reached here, it was shipped to Brockton, where they have more use for it just now.

It was a case of luck, and Brockton has had considerable of it lately.

Dan Burke made a home run at New Bedford yesterday, sending in two more runs. It must have been a long hit.

Frank Sexton reported at New Bedford yesterday and played left field.

Herwig of Taunton has been released, and Anderson takes his place. Ashe has been laid off to round to.

Sechrist, the pitcher claimed by Marietta, has been awarded to New Bedford by Nick Young. Conny Murphy has come out ahead in both his contests over pitchers, and he fooled Taunton in the Sexton case, as Manager Irwin thought he would have the old Boston player.

Nick Wise won in the tenth inning for Bangor yesterday, sending home Birmingham with a three-bagger.

Fall River is playing in much improved form. Roger Connor is evidently bringing the team down to its proper form.

Considerable interest was taken in yesterday's game, as if Brockton won Newport would drop to second place. There were fair-sized crowds in front of the bulletin boards, and all felt happy until the seventh. Then they knew that it had happened.

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A NAVAL WORKSHOP.

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of the primers, the filling of the shells and the electrical fitting—is completed here. The entire electrical equipment—the construction and testing of the dry batteries, the casings and connections—is all executed at the station, so that when a ship comes to Newport for its torpedo outfit the machinists are prepared to go aboard, make all the attachments and install the outfit in a manner far in advance of that in which it was formerly done. The men are able to do much of the special machine work for lighter ordnance—the rebuilding of boilers for torpedo boats and the lining up of the boilers in the smaller boats—work which had required the sending of the boats to the larger navy yards, where less satisfactory results were obtained and a much longer time was required for its accomplishment.

Multiplication of Departments.

When the trials for the selection of a new small arm for the navy were in progress all the tests for ascertaining the weight of the cartridges, the bore of the rifle and the weight of the projectile were made here, and the competitive trials were conducted at the station under the direction of a board of which Commander Converse was an important member. Under his direction there has been worked out a most complete record of torpedo data, and the station is supplied with more thorough information on this subject than any of the naval powers, although the United States is younger in torpedo practice. For this the government in a large part is indebted to Lieutenant F. F. Fletcher, who is the inventor of a number of complex devices for determining unknown quantities in torpedo work.

The chemist's department, like the others, is recognized as an important feature of the station, and its representatives are called upon to investigate almost every possible occurrence in the navy, out of the ordinary, and have been of great assistance in manifold ways. Search light practice as applied to torpedo attack has received its only real study in our navy in Narragansett bay, under the Torpedo Station officers. In fact, the Torpedo Station is looked to to give expert testimony and reports of every sort in the navy, except in the matter of seamanship. No place connected with the navy can duplicate the work done here. The station, when Commander Converse took command, was a comparatively insignificant affair, but during his administration many departments have been added, until it is now the most important yard on the coast. The number of employes has been largely increased, the civilians numbering one hundred and thirty-six, the greater part of them skilled laborers. With this increase of employes, sometimes to two hundred, the station has the reputation in the Navy Department of being second to none in the country for able work and modest expenditure, the department having saved materially in the transfer of the manufacture of the primers from Washington to Newport.

The development of the gun-cotton manufacture has been one of the most important features of Commander Converse's work. When the old factory was burned, in 1893, he planned the construction of the new buildings, and the experiments in the manufacture, of high explosives have been conducted by the chemist, Mr. H. P. Brown, in a great measure under his direction. The six buildings which take the place of the one burned four years ago are located on a broad plateau on the western side of the island, with high earth barricades separating them from the other buildings and from each other, to prevent the spreading of fire should a blaze be started in one of them. In each building a distinct part of the work is done—in the first the cotton waste is cleansed, picked, dried and stored in air-tight tanks; in the second it is nitrated by dipping in troughs, cooled and again washed; in the third it is reduced to meal by pulpers, pressed, washed again and moulded; in the fourth the blocks are taken to the final press, and it is then ready for the magazine; in the fifth the ingredients are mixed, and in the sixth the prepared cotton is dyed. In the three last buildings the manufacture of smokeless powder, in which gun-cotton is an important factor, is also carried on. The several buildings are connected with a railway, upon which the material is carried from one to another. Here much of the smokeless powder used in the navy is manufactured, the gun-cotton made there being used almost exclusively for the powder.

In the history of the Torpedo Station several accidents have occurred to the officers and men employed, although the number is very small in comparison to the dangerous work that has been done and the risks incurred from the handling of the deadly explosives. The only fatalities are those including the deaths of Lieutenant Commander Spaulding and Lieutenant Edes, members of the class of officers for instruction at the station, caused by the premature discharge of a torpedo which they were putting into the water from a small boat in the harbor on the afternoon of August 6, 1891, and those at the burning of the gun-cotton factory, when three men, Frank Loughlin, Jeremiah Harrington and Michael Reagan, employes at the station and residents of Newport, were killed, and Ensign E. E. Capehart, U. S. N., and others were more or less seriously injured.

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12:15 "	14:15 "
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2:15 "	3:00 "
3:15 "	4:30 "
5:00 "	5:30 "
6:00 "	6:30 "
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Newport,	7 10	10 00	1 20	4 20	7 10	11 15	
Providence, arr.,	8 55	11 57	3 15	6 05	8 51	....	
Boston, "	10 10	1 15	4 31	7 25	11 00	....	
New York, "	2 00	4 50	7 50	11 00	6	7 00	
	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	A M	
LEAVE	Night	A M	A M	A M	P M	P M	P M
New York,	*12 00	....	5 00	10 03	1 00	3 15	7 00
Boston,	12 03	6 45	10 00	1 00	3 15	7 00	
Providence,	1 23	8 00	11 15	2 15	5 00	8 17	
Newport, arr.,	6 35	9 45	1 00	4 00	7 00	10 35	
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ACROSS LEDGE ROAD.

Petition for a Proposed Sea Wall Disapproved.

Yesterday afternoon the City Council committee on streets and highways, accompanied by Street Commissioner Cotton, drove to the end of Ledge road to hear those interested in the proposed sea wall across the end of the road. There were present Mr. E. R. Wharton, who joined ex-Governor Lippitt in asking for the wall; Councilmen Lee and Kelley, and William A. Barker, Noah Thompson, E. C. Smith, Benjamin Oman, James F. Casey and Charles Anthony, representing the fishermen, the last-named being the oldest fisherman in town.

Street Commissioner Cotton had prepared a plan showing the end of the road, the two adjacent estates, the sea wall that Mr. Lippitt is building, and the sea wall it was proposed to build across the end of the road. This would be about five feet high, and had stone steps, eight feet wide, leading to the driftway. The wall was to cross the road at the end of the grass on the Wharton estate, or some feet further south than the road is now filled in.

The fishermen objected to the steps, saying that if it should become necessary, as it does at times, to draw up boats on the road, it would be difficult to do so. They suggested, in place of the wall and steps, the grading of the bank to a point above high water mark. The place would thus be made presentable, and at the same time kept so that boats could be hauled up.

It was also found that Mr. Lippitt's sea wall was to extend not to his boundary line but six feet beyond, so that a part of the Cliff walk would be on the street. It was the general opinion that Mr. Lippitt should build on his own property only and keep off the street, and there was no hesitation in expressing this opinion.

Mr. Wharton, who had joined with Mr. Lippitt in the petition for a sea wall, did not appear to be very earnest in having one, especially if it would interfere with the fishermen. He would like to have the end of the street put and kept in a presentable appearance, and said that if the city would make it so he would try to see that no deposits were made there. It seemed to be the general idea, after much talk and many historical anecdotes regarding the early history of this place as a fishing rendezvous, that the petition should be denied, and the city take up the matter, grade the entire street to the gravel, filling in the unsightly holes and building an iron fence across to prevent horses from running overboard. A report to this effect will probably be made to the council.

The end of the road has suffered many changes in recent years, due largely to the dumping of earth and stone into the old gully, which is now well filled and not at all inviting in appearance. It was stated that the dumping had ceased, but nothing had been done to clear the place. The stone and cement used in building Mr. Lippitt's sea wall also add to the general demoralizing effect, and make the end of the road unsightly to a marked degree. It was agreed that it should be improved, and the committee seemed to think the city should do the work, and do it in a way to be of benefit to all.

While this landing was once used by a very large number of fishermen, it is now used by but few. Still, under some conditions of weather, it is found almost indispensable for the fishermen, as the landing is protected by Coggeshall's ledge.

After examining Ledge road, the greater part of which has just been put in good order and rolled, the committee drove about the streets for some time, looking over work that has been done, and at streets that now need work.

THE NEW CLIFFS OPEN FOR THE SEASON.

The New Cliffs Hotel opened for the season today. The house and adjoining cottages have been placed in excellent order, and by the addition of new furniture, bedding, decorations and bric-a-brac, have been made more like a private house than a public place. Mr. Louis P. Roberts, the landlord, who has made the property popular by his management, has just taken another ten years' lease of the estate. Seven of the famous pictures sold at the Marshall O. Roberts sale in New York adorn the main parlor.

The fence in front of the property has been removed and a privet hedge has taken its place. At the entrance to the main driveway are two brick piers, surmounted by the two bronze boars bought at the sale of the effects of the late Mrs. Paran Stevens. These additions, in view of their novelty, attract much attention, and passers-by stop and admire the unique innovation. Through the piers an electric wire will be run, and the light at night will be directly over the boars. Mr. Roberts has done everything that was needed for his elaborate "plant," and is anticipating a successful season.

Among those who have taken cottages are Miss Celeste Eustis, sister of J. B. Eustis, former ambassador to France; Miss Lydia Eustis, his niece; Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish, Mr. Henry Gilsey and Dr. Austin L. Flint of New York.

APPOINTMENTS BY GOVERNOR DYER.

Governor Dyer yesterday announced the following appointments:

Factory Inspectors—Elisha H. Rockwell of Providence and Helen M. Jenks of Providence.

Medical Examiner, Providence—William H. Palmer.

State Board of Registration in Dentistry—John F. Lemon of Providence, Peter J. Heffern of Pawtucket.

State Board of Pharmacy—Norman N. Mason of Providence, James H. Taylor of Newport, William R. Potter of Providence, Albert B. Collins of Westerly, Frank A. Jackson of Woonsocket, William J. McCaw of Providence, Howard A. Pearce of Providence.

Commissioner of Pawtucket River—Christopher Duckworth of Pawtucket.

Most of these are re-appointments. In the list of factory inspectors Helen M. Jenks succeeds Mrs. Fanny Purdy Palmer. Mrs. Jenks is a resident of Providence, and for a long time has been interested in the work which, with her appointment, will be under her direct charge. The other inspector, Colonel Rockwell, is re-appointed for three years.

Dr. Palmer is re-appointed as medical examiner for the Providence district, and Dr. Heffern of Pawtucket succeeds Charles A. Brackett of this city as member of the state board of registration in dentistry. Dr. Brackett, it is understood, did not desire re-appointment. There is one new member of the state board of pharmacy, Howard A. Pearce of Providence, who succeeds William E. Cates. Mr. Duckworth is re-appointed commissioner of the Pawtucket river.

THE RANKIN MEMORIAL.

The treasurer of the fund for a memorial to the late Dr. Francis H. Rankin acknowledges below the receipt of additional subscriptions. There still remains the sum of $142 to complete the amount necessary to establish a free bed at the Newport Hospital, $3,000, which it is hoped will soon be made up and the memorial be thus assured. It is desirable that all subscriptions which have not been paid be sent in as soon as convenient.

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T. T. PITMAN,
Treasurer.

MIDDLETOWN.

[Regular correspondence of the News.]

Mr. B. F. Medbury of Providence is at Mrs. C. S. Peckham's.

Mrs. Frank E. Lewis has been guest of Mrs. Thomas J. Sherman.

Mrs. Jason Grinnell, accompanied by her son Clarmont and Mrs. Joseph F. Albro, attended the Commencement exercises at Kingston College yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Abram A. Brown visited their daughter, Mrs. Herbert Smith, in Attleboro yesterday.

Mrs. George E. Perry came from Bristol to Bristol Ferry by steamer Monday evening, and then completed her journey to the home of her father, Mr. Elisha Peckham, on her wheel.

Children's day will be observed at the Methodist Episcopal Church Sunday evening next.

During the thunder storm Sunday lightning struck the house of Mrs. Albert G. Barker on Slate hill lane, demolishing the chimney on the ell and filling the kitchen with soot and plaster. It is supposed that the bolt went from the west to the east end of the house, as in a bedroom on the east side two large pieces of plaster were knocked down. The family was badly frightened.

The weather is specially propitious for the strawberry festival and social at the town hall tonight.

PREPARING TO ENTERTAIN THE FLORISTS.

The Florists and Gardeners' Club met last evening in the Horticultural Society's hall, to hear reports on the proposed reception to the Society of American Florists in August next. The reports as to pecuniary support were satisfactory, and the committee was authorized to prepare plans. The general idea was to have a dinner, a drive about the cottages, and an exhibition. A communication was received from the secretary of the American Florists, suggesting that Newport select two horticulturists to present papers at the meeting of the society, which will take place in Providence.

POLO WILL BE PLAYED AS USUAL.

It now looks as if Newport will lose the game of polo for this year at least. The grounds which were laid out last year at an enormous cost have never been used as yet. Last year the field was tried by Mr. W. K. Thorn and others and found in bad condition. Some repairs were made, and the announcement was made that the field would be ready for play this year. Mr. George Eustis tried the grounds a couple of weeks ago, and pronounced them satisfactory, but young Mr. Whitney, who has just tried them with his string of polo ponies, declares that they are unsafe. Such is also the opinion of others, who claim that the field is too soft and spongy. The old polo field established by Mr. James Gordon Bennett and others is now used by the city as a playground, while house lots are for sale on it.—[New York Mail and Express.

So far as is known here, polo will be played about as usual this year. It is still a little early to tell just where it will be played, but if the new grounds are decided to be unfit the old lot can be secured, as it is still unoccupied. Those who have examined the new ground say it is greatly improved over last year and will undoubtedly be in condition for play whenever the season opens. Some work has been done on it this season, and if given proper care it should be in good condition by the middle of July.

NEWPORT TRAVEL SHOULD BE ACCOMMODATED.

The petitions for a double service, or, rather, for a Newport boat on the Fall River line, have received a very large number of signatures, and will be forwarded at once to the officers of the company. If it is not deemed expedient to run four boats, the matter could be adjusted so far as Newport is concerned, and the result would probably be satisfactory. The express trains to Boston and other stations connecting with the boat leave the wharf at Fall River at 5:45 and 6:42 in the morning. If these trains could meet the boat here, and leave here, say, at 5:15 and at 6:15 respectively, passengers would reach Boston at the same time as now, and the boat could remain here till about 6 o'clock and still reach Fall River in time to connect with local trains. Newport is too important a place not to be given every possible consideration in justice to neighboring cities.

BICYCLISTS OUT IN FORCE.

Last evening half a dozen members of the Powhattan Cycle Club made a postponed run to Tiverton. A baker's dozen of the wheelmen of the County Club took a trip around the Ocean Drive and about the city, being deterred from going on their proposed run out on the island by the same reason that cut down the Cycle Club's run—the threatening weather early in the evening. A large number of members of the Thames Street Methodist Episcopal Sunday school also went around the Drive, which was crowded with wheels during the mild evening, though many stayed much later. This is a locality that demands a "bicycle cop" for the public good.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Mrs. George L. Rives has returned from New York.

—Mrs. S. F. Prentiss of New York is guest of Mrs. Warren Leland, Jr.

—The first in Mr. Mason's series of organ recitals will take place tonight.

—Colonel George R. Fearing of New York is visiting Mr. Henry A. C. Taylor.

—Mr. and Mrs. John R. Caswell of New York have opened their cottage on Bull street.

—Miss Davies of New York is here for the summer, and is at her father's cottage in Purgatory road.

—Mr. and Mrs. Oliver H. P. Belmont have returned from Europe and are occupying "Belcourt."

—Mr. George R. Agassiz, who has been in California for two years, arrived here last night to visit his father, Professor Alexander Agassiz.

—A fine life-size crayon portrait of the late Dr. Henry E. Turner, by Mowry, has been placed in the window of the One Price Clothing Company.

—DeBlois & Eldridge have rented for Professor Charles W. Shields his villa on Buggles avenue, Ochre Point, known as "Nethercliff," to ex-Governor Charles Warren Lippitt of Rhode Island for the season.

—The weather vane on the custom house was removed some time since under a misapprehension, but the local displayman of the signal service thinks that if a request in sufficient force were made, a new one will be placed in position.

—Mr. P. P. Garrettson has offered a silver cup for a boat race July 4, and crews from the Training and Torpedo Stations, Fort Adams and the Naval Reserves are expected to compete. It is suggested that the marines at the Naval Station, who have been seen rowing about the harbor, also participate.

—Whittier's Comedians are billed to appear at the Opera House throughout next week, each evening and five matinees, at popular prices. The repertoire will include "The Galley Slave," "Oliver Twist," "A Wicked City," "The New Magdalen," "Rip Van Winkle," "Lost in London," "Another's Sin," "Americans in Cuba," "Finnigan's Alley," "Muldoon's Picnic" and "Humpty Dumpty."

THE SEASON AT THE OCEAN HOUSE.

From all that we can learn, Newport is likely to enjoy a more brilliant season in 1897 than anything recorded in times past. Fashion is the determining influence in regard to such matters, and fashion has decreed that 1897 shall be one of Newport's "red letter" years.

It will also, undoubtedly, be a "red letter" year with the famous Ocean House, of which Warren Leland, Jr., will again be manager for the third season. Situated on Bellevue avenue, this magnificent hotel is but a short distance from the beach and from the centre of the city, yet far enough for its guests to enjoy a quiet elegance, and to view from its broad and well-shaded verandas the pomp and pageantry of the turnouts of the aristocratic owners of majestic "cottages" and "marble halls." The rooms, en suite or single, are large, well ventilated and well furnished, good beds being a special feature. The corridors and halls are lofty and spacious, five broad staircases extending to the upper stories, while a hydraulic elevator renders the house as comfortable as the best of city hotels.

There will be music by a superior orchestra mornings, afternoons and evenings, and dress hops or children's parties every week-day night. The parlor of magnificent proportions, the reception rooms, and the broad alcove, with its quaint, old-fashioned chimney, all open on the piazzas, have open fireplaces, and are unusually home-like and attractive. The dining-room, large and cool, is entirely separate from the kitchen. The cuisine will be under the management of a chef of acknowledged reputation. Sea food will be a specialty, and in all other ways the table will be kept up to a high standard.

Here, under the watchful and courteous care of Mine Host Leland, of whom it is no more than the bare truth to say that he is one of the most popular hotel men in the world, guests feel that life is indeed worth living, and that it is best described as one continual round of pleasure.—[Lyford, in Hotel Gazette.

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